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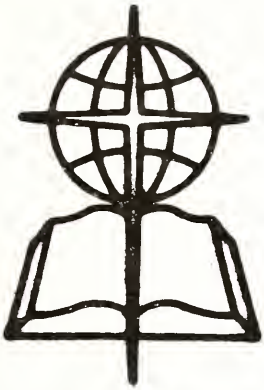

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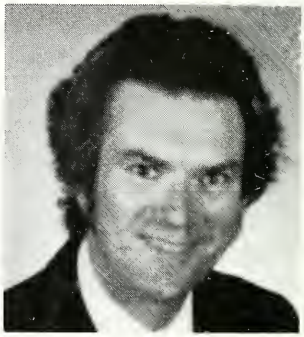

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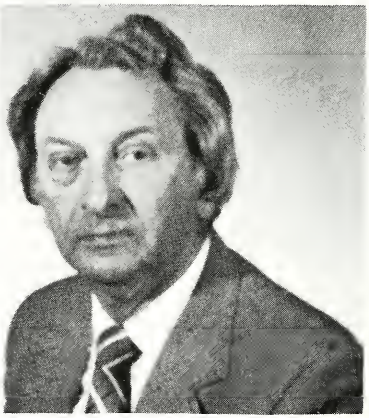

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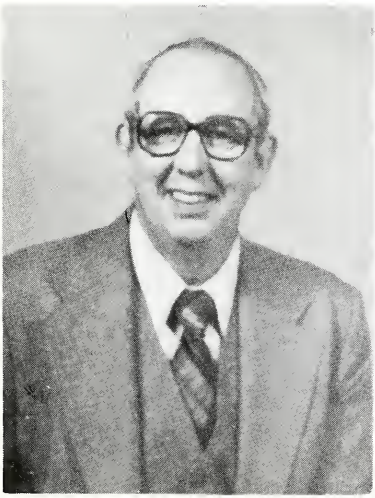

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TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

MIDWAY BAPTIST CHURCH

Hosting jointly on Friday, August 1st. at Trinity.

WELCOME HOME BAPTIST CHURCH

HEALING SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH

Hosting jointly on Saturday, August 2nd. at Welcome Home.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH
A Brief History

Trinity Baptist Church was organized Oct. 19, 1975 with 43 charter members who believed the Lord was leading them to organize with God as the head of the church. The Holy Trinity Lutheran Building was the sight of the original church. On Oct. 19, 1975 an organizational service was held with Rev. Sherill Wellborn bringing the charge to the church and Rev. Bill Ballou bringing the missions charge.

Charter members were: Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Watson and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watson, Mrs. Edna Hampton, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gentry and Kaye, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Watson, Melissa and Tim Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watson and Angie, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watson, Mrs. Ruth Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Steelman and Deborah, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Dougals Sigmon, Mr. nd Mrs. Kyle McNeill and William, Miss Ina Lookabill, Mr. David Watson.

In November 1975 Trinity petitioned the Ashe Baptist Association to become a member and was admitted after one year under their watch care. Rev. Johnson was the first pastor and served until Dec. 1976, when Rev. Rex Foster became pastor. He served until June 1982. With the Lord leading his ministry the membership grew until we needed more space and a trailer was purchased for class room space. More space was still needed and a search began for land to build on. In May a plot of ground was purchased and stepping out on faith in God, Trinity bought it and erected this church you're in today between July 6, 1980 and Nov. 9, 1980.

Rev. Ernest Austin became the next pastor on June 20, 1982. He served until Sept. 7, 1983. On Nov. 30, 1983, Randall Marsh became interim pastor until Sept. 2, 1984 when Rev. Homer Murdock became our present pastor.

MIDWAY BAPTIST CHURCH
A Brief History

It was the Summer of 1953 when the people of the Midway community saw the need for a local church. There was a tenant house in the community owned by Lloyd Witherspoon. Lloyd allowed the people of the Midway community to use that house and property rent free in the work of a new mission.

A prayer meeting was first started with an attendance of about 75 persons. Sunday School was begun next. The tenant house did not have enough room for all the Sunday School classes, so the Young Married Couples Class met under a locust tree all Summer and Fall. God blessed them. The class was never interrupted by a single Sunday rain.

On July 5, 1953, at 2 p.m., the people of Midway community met and organized the Midway Baptist Church. The church began with 35 members. Construction of a building was to be the next undertaking of the newly formed church. Mr. Jones and Edna McNeil are credited with securing the land, and providing the church with its present location. After the land was secured, construction began. The labor for the construction was given free and we thank God for all the many people who had a part in this work. Members of the Friendly Grove Baptist Church gave of their time and talent in the work and construction of the building also.

The church has undergone many changes over the years but it is still meeting the need of providing a place of worship for the Midway community.

The Midway Baptist Church has been served by the following pastors: Rev. M. D. Hart, Rev. W. E. Burchette, Rev. Fred Troutman, Rev. Ray Minton, and present pastor, Rev. Ervel Jones.

The members of the Midway Church thank God, for without Him there would be no Midway Baptist Church.

WELCOME HOME BAPTIST CHURCH
A Brief History

In 1933 Rev. R. E. Caudill saw the need of a church in the community and organized one in an old store building that belonged to Mr. and Mrs. Coy Goodman and called it "GOSHEN". Services were held each Sunday morning at 11:00 and Sunday school at 10:00. Attendance grew rapidly and more space was needed. The community was excited about having a new church, a saw mill was set down on the site. Citizens of the community all joined together, hauled logs and gave of their time. Money was scarce, but with faith and hard labor, soon a much needed white frame church was erected and named WELCOME HOME. Rev. A. C. Ashley was elected pastor and the first service was held August 14, 1935.

In 1984, a complete remodeling and new addition was made under the adept supervision of the late Bill Witherspoon. A new choir loft and sanctuary was designed at his discretion. Three new Sunday school rooms, a pastor's study, nursery, baptistry, two rest rooms, basement, kitchen, fellowship hall, carpet, a well was dug and a public address system was added.

"Through faith and prayer," Rev. Johnny Blevins declared, "We will build this church without borrowing a penny". God blessed and the church was completed debt free. Membership has grown from eleven in 1935 to 165 at present, with one living charter member, Mrs. Lerena S. Miller.

HEALING SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH
A Brief History

The Healing Springs Baptist Church is located on Old Highway 16 in Crumpler, North Carolina. The church was first organized in 1884; however, the first written record is dated April, 1888. Worship services were held on Saturdays and some evidence is given of Sunday School in 1890. All members were received by Christian experience and baptism.

In July 1888, land was purchased to build a church. The building was destroyed by fire in later years, but was rebuilt by faithful and dedicated members. Over the next 50 years, more improvements were made on the church building.

The church was burned once more in December of the year 1974. Worship services continued at the Healing Springs school. Upon rebuilding, a new bell, chimes and classrooms were added. The parking lot was later paved.

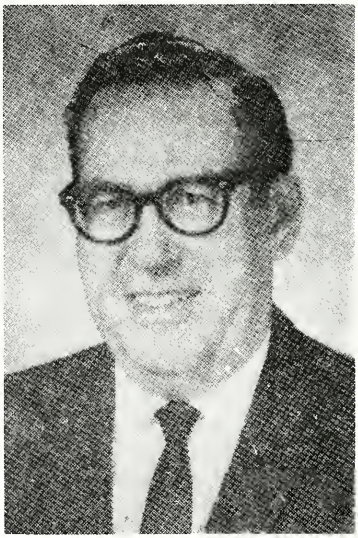
More recent improvements include padded pews, drop lights, a new piano, painting of the sanctuary, and plans to re-carpet the sanctuary.

Some of the pastors who have served the church are:

G. M. Burcham — 1888
Elihu Tucker — 1891-1892
Ezekiel Blevins — 1892-1897
C. M. Mikel — 1903 - 1907
W. F. Barker — 1907 - 1914
Elihu Tucker — 1914 - 1919
Oscar Spencer — 1922 - 1936
W. E. Denny — 1936 - 1955
Paul Phipps — 1955 - 1966
W. E. Denny — 1966 - 1967
David Brown — 1967 - 1968
W. H. Caldwell — 1968 - 1972
Howard Moss — 1973 - 1975
Herbert Parunak — 1975 - 1981
Garrett Mahaffey — 1981 - 1984
Dean Watson — 1984 - 1986

THE 1986 ANNUAL OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION IS DEDICATED TO

Reverend Gwyn Blackburn



Reverend Gwyn Blackburn was born in the Silas Creek community of Ashe County on May 26, 1918 and went home to heaven on April 2, 1986. He was married to the former Alma Watson and they have two daughters.

Brother Gwyn was loved and respected by all who knew him, expecially his preacher brethren. He was a most able preacher of the Word and preached that Word without compromise. Only eternity itself will ever reveal his great contribution to the cause of Christ in this world. May God bless his memory to each of our hearts who knew him.

Following is a listing of the churches he served during his pastoral ministry.

Liberty Baptist Church, Whitehead, NC
Mt. Carmel Baptist Church, Near Sparta, NC
Belview Baptist Church, Laurel Springs, NC
Chestnut Grove Baptist Church, Sparta, NC
Pine Fork Baptist Church, Laurel Springs, NC
Fairview Baptist Church (He organized this church) near Grassy Creek, NC
First Baptist Church, Robins, NC
Grassy Creek Baptist Church, Grassy Creek, NC
Baptist Union Baptist Church, Grayson County, Virginia
Sugar Grove Baptist Church, Sugar Grove, Virginia
South Fork Baptist Church, Smyth County, Virginia
East End Baptist Church, Marion, Virginia
First Baptist Church, Renick, W. Virginia
Little Doe Baptist Church, Butler, Tenn.
Maple View Baptist Church, Joppa, Maryland
Hunter Memorial Baptist Church, Elizabethton, Tenn.
Lock Lynn Heights Baptist Church, Mountain Lake Park, MD
Ferndale Baptist Church, Deep Creek Lake, Maryland
Pleasant Home Baptist Church, Millers Creek, NC (He retired at this church after serving as pastor for 15 years, 6 months.)
Mt. Olive Baptist Church, Todd, NC

THE 1986 ANNUAL SESSION OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION IS DEDICATED TO

Miss Mary Jordan

It is in loving memory that we dedicate our 1986 Associational Annual to Miss Mary Jordan. She began teaching Vacation Bible Schools in 1934 and continued for the next forty-six years. She served as Associational Vacation Bible School Director for most of those forty-six years. For many of those years, before she owned an automobile, she would walk to distant churches and conduct their Vacation Bible School, staying in the home of a member of the church. In many cases she received nothing for her effort. She loved children and I'm sure she felt it was pay enough just to be blessed to tell them about Jesus her Lord.

On January 21, 1986, Jesus called for Mary to come home. We leave her in His keeping until we shall join her there.

LASTING TREASURE

Some may gather money
Along the path of live
some may gather roses
and rest from worldly strife.

But, I would gather children
From among the thorns of sin,
I would seek a golden curl,
And a freckled toothless grin.

For money cannot enter
In that land of endless day,
And the roses that are gathered
Soon will wilt and fade away.

But, Oh the laughing children
As I cross the sunset seas,
And the gates swing wide to heaven,
I can take them in with me.

Author Unknown

SHUBAL STEARNS
Who was Shubal Stearns?

Shubal Stearns was the founder of the first Baptist Association in North Carolina and the third in the nation. Following is a brief summary of the life and work of Stearns.

Shubal Stearns was born in 1705 in Boston, Massachusetts. He was converted under the preaching of George Whitefield during the "Great Awakening". He joined the New Light Movement but later joined a Baptist church having been convinced from a study of the scriptures that infant baptism was wrong.

Later God called him into the ministry and he moved with his family to Virginia and pastored two churches with little success. Hearing that North Carolina was destitute of good preaching he and his little band of sixteen moved to Sandy Creek, North Carolina, six miles west of what is Staley, in Randolph County. This at that time was in Guilford County.

In the winter of 1755 the Sandy Creek Baptist Church was organized with sixteen members Shubal Stearns and Company. The church grew rapidly and in three years started eight other churches.

In January, 1758, the nine churches organized the Sandy Creek Baptist Association, according to Stearns, "to impart stability, regularity, and uniformity to the whole."

Over the next fourteen years churches were formed and the association included forty-two churches reaching the Potomac River to the north; Atlanta, Georgia, to the south; the Atlantic Ocean to the east; and the Mississippi to the west. It was the greatest outburst of New Testament witness the colonies had experienced.

Shubal Stearns, the dominant figure in the movement was described as being "MAGNETIC IN PREACHING POWERS WITH IMPRESSIVE TONES, AND EYES THAT SEEMED TO HAVE MAGICAL POWERS."

In 1770, upon the recommendation of Stearns the Sandy Creek Association divided into three. North Carolina churches remained the Sandy Creek Association. Those in Virginia formed the General Association of Separate Baptists, and those in South Carolina formed the Congaree Association.

Shubal Stearns died at the close of 1770. He was buried at the Sandy Creek Church six miles west of Staley, twenty-three miles from Greensboro.

Fifteen hundred families fled from Sandy Creek Association as an aftermath of the Battle of Alamance. The homes were burned. Sandy Creek Baptist Church was burned. Many fled to Kentucky and Tennessee. Wherever they went they organized churches.

William Cathcart wrote in 1881 "there are today probably thousands of churches that arose from the efforts of Shubal Stearns and the churches of the Sandy Creek Association."

Elliot Smith wrote in 1978, "Sandy Creek Baptist gave character to much that defines Southern Baptists today."

Morgan Edwards wrote early in the nineteenth century, "Sandy Creek is the mother of all Separate Baptists."

If one man is to be selected as being the one person most responsible for Southern Baptist of today it would have to be Shubal Stearns.

What You Can Do to Help Your Assoication Fulfill Its Objectives

*Pray for the Association and its leadership
*Serve when asked
*Give financially to your church that it may give to the Association
*Give generously to the Shubal Stearns Offering for Associational Missions in May

MINUTES

CONVENTION

ORGANIZING

The Ashe and Alleghaney Association,

HELD WITH

BUFFALO BAPTIST CHRUCH.

ASHE COUNTY, N. C.,

SEPTEMBER 24, 25, 1886.

ELDER T. M. HONEYCUTT, PRESIDENT,
Sparta, N. C.

H. A. ELLER, SECRETARY,
Berlin, Ashe Co., N. C.

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MINUTES
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CONVENTION OF DELEGATES OF BAPTIST CHURCHES
IN
ASHE ALLEGHANY COUNTIES, N.C.

FIRST DAY — Buffalo, Ashe Co., N.C., Friday, Sept. 24, 1886.

Delegates from Baptist Churches in Ashe and Alleghany counties, N.C., convened with Buffalo Baptist Church, Ashe county, NC., Sept. the 24th, A.D., 1886.

Elder G. W. Greene read the xxiii Psalm, and the Convention united in prayer. The Introductory sermon was preached by Elder G. W. Greene. Subject, Proverbs iii chapter and 6th verse, "In all the ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths." Prayer by Elder I. W. Thomas. The convention took a recess for twenty minutes.

After the time expired the Convention re-assembled, and on motion Elder T. M. Honeycutt was called to the Chair, pro tem, and on motion H. A. Eller was requested to act as Secretary, pro tem. By request Bro. James Eller, in a few words, explained the object of this meeting.

Letters from the different Churches were presented and read.

The Convention proceeded to elect permanent officers by private ballot, Brethren Thomas and Greene being Tellers, who after receiving the vote announced, as the result, Elder T. M. Honeycutt, President, and H. A. Eller, Secretary.

Visiting brethren were invited to seats with us, and Elders I. W. Thomas from the Threeforks Association, G. W. Greene from the Brushy Mountain Association and C. J. Woodson from the New River Association reported themselves as visitors and received the hand of fellowship from the President and took seats with the body, and Bro. R. Harrison from the Beula Association reported himself a visitor and took a seat. Elder G. W. Greene, by request, submitted some suggestions as to the proper way to proceed. Brethren James Garvey and David Tucker were recognized as visitors, and Elder T. M. Duncan was recognized and granted the privilege of a delegate.

On motion the following Committees were appointed by the President:

I. On Constitution and Rules of Decorum: James Eller, W. M. Hall and G. W. Greene with President and Secretary.

II. On Articles of Faith: T. M. Duncan, I. W. Thomas, C. J. Woodson, J. F. Fletcher and E. L. Tucker.

III. On Finance: William Miller and R. L. Shoaf.

IV. On Time, Place and Preacher for first Association: Dr. Jones, W. N. Luther and Elihu Tucker.

V. On Religious Exercises: Pastor and Delegates of this church, with Bro. A. Barker.

VI. On Associational Missions: G. H. Phillips, W. M. Hall and James Eller.

The subject of naming this Association was considered, and after some remarks and propositions it was agreed that it should be know as "THE ASHE AND ALLEGHANY ASSOCIATION."

The Committee on Religious Exercises submitted the following report:

To-night at this place Elder C. J. Woodson, and Elder W. M. Hall, and to-morrow at 11 o'clock, A.M., Elder T. M. Honeycutt.

On motion adjourned til to-morrow morning at half past eight o'clock, and spend half an hour in devotional exercises, and begin business at 9. Prayer by Elder W. M. Hall. Benediction by Elder G. W. Greene.

MESSENGERS TO THE ASSOCIATON

APPLE GROVE - Dorothy Slate, Carol Denny, Flossie Taylor, Ruth Little, Gertie Ham
BALD MOUNTAIN - Grover Campbell, Dean Lawrence, Merita Campbell
BEAVER CREEK - Debra Mullis, Delma Goodman, Millie Stewart, Sandy Patrick
BETHEL - Earl McNeill, Earl Osborne, E. A. Phillips, Ruth McNeill, Eula Blevins, Mrs. E. A. Phillips
BIG FLATTS - Russell Phillips, Lessie Lawrence, Maymie Trivette, Paralea Toliver, Anna Lou Phipps, Dare Elliott
BIG LAUREL - Geter Roten, Conley Johnson, Glyda Roten, Kenny Johnson, Johnie Roten
BLUE RIDGE — Gene Haire, Mr. & Mrs. James Watson
BRISTOL - Ralph Testerman, Chloe Testerman, Hazel Rhodes, Wayne Greer, Clyde Hart, Kathy Gentry
BUFFALO - Edgar Duncan, Delmer Rash, Edna Rash
CALVARY - Ray Ham, Phillip Clark, Rita Elliott, Mary Pugh, Claybon Wagoner
CHESTNUT HILL - Claude Gambill, Bill Hash, Spencer Brown, Ruth Blackburn, Rose Hash, Brenda Gambill
CLIFTON - Rev. J. C. Darnell, Randy Darnell, Heather Hartzog
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Zenna Little, Vernie Blevins, Arlie Blevins, Rev. Gary Teague
FRIENDLY GROVE - Charles Severt, Powell Miller, Ford Cooper, Bower Severt, Paul Hopkins
FRIENDSHIP - Kyle Ball, David Lambert, Furd Shatley, James Church, Algean Church
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Robert Hamby, Carrie Hudler, Gary Barnes, Larry Elliott, Robert Bare, Rev. Gwyn Day
GRASSY CREEK - Dewey Cox, Ella Hudler, Zetta Hamby
HEALING SPRINGS - Rev. Dean Watson, Shirley Watson, Clifton Poe, Kathleen Poe, Herbert Blevins, Ruby Blevins
LANDMARK - Lena Brooks, Shirley Baldwin, Alta Davis, M. J. Blackburn, Ruth Blackburn, R. L. Blevins
LAUREL KNOB - Frances Goodman, Mary Jo Hoosier, Dean Wilcox
LIBERTY GROVE - Marshall Perkins, William Scott, Kermit Miller
LITTLE HELTON - Roger Porter, Rita Porter, Moody Hale, Vergie Hale

LONG BRANCH - William Greer, Ricky Eldreth
MIDWAY - Paul Phillips, James Taylor, Wayne Fredrick
MOUNT OLIVE - Joe Caparolie, Pam Caparolie, Mr. Gwyn Blackburn
NEW RIVER - James Childers, Duane Pollard, Harold Pollard, Donna Pollard, Mack Gore, Gearleen Pollard
NORTH BEAVER - Pearl Severt, Glenn Miller, Bob Neaves, Dean Miller, Mary Parsons, Tim Sheets
OAK HILL - Walter Blevins, Steve Blevins, Emily Wyatt, Patsy Blevins, Dale Walton, Cathleen Blevins
OBIDS - Esther South, Evazella Parsons, Nettie McNeill, Bob Williams, Glenn South, Bly St. John
OLD FIELDS - Norma Yates, Flavil Phillips, Worth Phillips, Joe Hodges, Donna Hodges
ORION - Theresa Bare, Ralph Jones, Virginia Sexton, Clyde Dillard
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy, Stella McCoy
PHOENIX - Joe Montague, Hallie Montague, Raymond Riddle, Clara Riddle
PINE SWAMP - Jennie Hartzog, Shelba Hartzog, Blanche Oliver, Shelba Elliott, Jim Ketner, Sylvia Ketner
PLEASANT HOME - Rachel Young, Michael Houck, Mike Pasley, Winnie Jones, Beatrice Young, Sharon Parsons
PLEASANT VALLEY - Rev. Robert Roark, Libby Roark, Gaye Jones, Brice Denny, Mae Denny
ROUND KNOB - Mary Miller, Carolyn Miller, Julie Cox, Walter Smith
SABBATH HOME - Ray Elliott, Pearl Elliott
STURGILLS - Harold Baldwin, Banner Powers, Leslie Jones, Tommy Sturgill, June Lewis, Julian Owen
THREE FORKS - Ann Trivette, Roy Trivette, Zenith Roten, Jane Farmer, Annetta Roark
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TUCKERDALE - Rev. Frank Tucker, Mr. Edison Harless, Mrs. Ruth Harless, Mr. Ralph Davis, Mrs. Mary Graham, Mr. Jack Rash
WAGONER - Brenda Roten, Benny Jenkins, Elsie Poe, Gaither Poe, Russell Roark, Brenda Roark
WARRENSVILLE - Rev. Jerry Burleson, Joyce Norris, Ann Jones, Gay Reed, Marie Turner, Jerry Glen Burleson, Linda Richardson

WELCOME HOME - Edward McVey, Fred McNeill, Jeanie McNeill
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - A. D. Goodman, Paul Hager, Mrs. Paul Hager, Dr. Rudy Curd, C. E. Gardner

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Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-3457
BIG LAUREL - Mr. Geter Roten
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NORTH BEAVER - Miss Kim Blackburn	982-2373
OAK HILL - Mrs. Sally Blevins	982-3590
OBIDS - Mrs. Karen Williams	982-2225
OLD FIELDS - Miss Cindy Brooks	877-2495
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PHOENIX - Mrs. Juanita Garvey	982-3721
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PLEASANT HOME - Ms. Rachel Young	384-2280
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STURGILLS - Mrs. Ruby Spencer	384-2193
THREE FORKS - Mrs. Zenith Roten	385-1448
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WAGONER - Ms. Teresa Roark	982-3293
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(Place/Preacher) (Chm.) Rev. Ray Minton, Lake Brooks, Ralph Jones
(Resolutions) (Chm.) Rev. Jack Miller, Rev. Ervel Jone, Rev. Joe Blevins

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Baptist Hospital ..... Rev. Jerry Burleson
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3 Year Term: Mrs. Nancy Phipps, Rev. Wayne Jones, Mr. Jack Ashley
2 Year Term: Mrs. Linda Craven, Rev. Jimmy Rash, Mr. Earl McNeill
1 Year Term: Mrs. Allen (Mary) Miller, Rev. Ross Harless, chm.) Jerry South

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SUNDAY SCHOOL
Director ..... Rev. Ervel Jones
Adult (18 yrs. up) ..... Rev. Jack Pugh
Youth (12-17 Yrs.).....Mrs. Lois Jones
Children (Older/10-11 Yrs.) ..... Mrs. Margaret Vance
Children (Middle/8-9 Yrs.)..... Rev. Ken Morris
Children (Younger/6-7 Yrs.)
Preschool (Birth - 5 Yrs.) ..... Mrs. Geraldine Lambert

CHURCH TRAINING
Director ..... Mrs. Gwen Elliott
Adult ..... Mrs. Freda Goodman
Youth ..... Johnny Brown
Children..... Ronnie Sturgill
Preschool ..... Linda Ball

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Mission Study Chairman ..... Mr. Lynn McCoy
RA Leader ..... Mr. J. E. Blevins

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Organist ..... Mrs. Maureen Blackburn

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Sunday School Director ..... Rev. Ervel Jones
Adult Director ..... Rev. Jack Pugh
Youth Director ..... Mrs. Lois Jones
Children's Director ..... Mrs. Margaret Vance
Preschool Director ..... Mrs. Geraldine Lambert

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Mrs. Wade (Imogene) Stevens	919-877-1070
Mrs. Leonard (Christine) Jordan	919-246-7244

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1986-1987

I.	EDUCATION AND PROMOTION	
	1. Sunday School	225.00
	2. Church Training	175.00
	3. Brotherhood	100.00
	4. WMU	75.00
	5. Church Music	50.00
	6. Stewardship Promotion	50.00
	7. Vacation Bible School	150.00
	8. Preacher's School	250.00
	9. Evangelism	500.00
	10. Key Leadership Conference	100.00
	Sub Total	**$1,675.00**
II.	ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE:	
	1. Office Equipment	1,100.00
	2. Printing & Supplies	1,200.00
	3. Postage	1,000.00
	4. Associational Calendar	200.00
	5. Upkeep & Cleaning	200.00
	Sub Total	**$3,700.00**
III.	SALARIES & ALLOWANCES:	
	1. Director of Missions	12,000.00
	2. Retirement	2,250.00
	3. Medical & Life Insurance	2,600.00
	4. Car Allowance	1,200.00
	5. Social Security Allowance	2,500.00
	6. Conventions & Conferences	1,000.00
	7. Secretarial Help	3,500.00
	8. Clerk/Treasurer	900.00
	Sub Total	**$25,950.00**
IV.	BUILDING & EQUIPMENT:	
	1. Utilities	2,500.00
	2. Insurance on Assn. Parsonage	300.00
	3. Building Repair	500.00
	Sub Total	**$3,300.00**

V. MISCELLANEOUS:

1. Mission Projects	100.00
2. Miscellaneous	300.00
Sub Total	**$400.00**

GRAND TOTAL	**$35,025.00**

FINANCIAL REPORT

On hand 1 July 1985	105.38
Received from the Churches	32,455.35
Received from VCR Equipment	1,915.00
Received for Minute Books	1,804.75
Received for Good News Revival	1,300.23
Received from Convention	600.00
Miscellaneous receipts	1,185.41
TOTAL ON HAND AND RECEIVED	**$39,366.21**

PAID OUT:

Director of Missions, salary (includes $370.70 owed from previous year)	8,307.90

Automobile PAID OUT:

Director of Missions, salary (includes $370.70 owed from previous year)	8,307.90
Automobile Expense (includes $200.00 owed for previous year)	5,400.00
Utilities (includes $96.16 owed for previous year)	2,596.32
Convention Expenses (includes 34.62 for previous year)	934.74
Cleaning supplies (includes $7.70 for previous year)	207.90
Postage	1,051.23
Annuity Board, retirement	2,418.00
Convention, insurance premium	2,315.13
Office help	4,079.00
Office supplies	2,090.37
Clerk/Treasurer	720.00

Parsonage Repair and Maint.	243.58
Seminary Extension	29.91
FICA taxes on employees	616.16
Good News Revival	1,300.23
Key Leadership	75.89
Sunday School	162.70
Social Security allowance	1,500.00
VCR Equipment	2,259.74
Minute Books	1,804.63
Church Training	18.08
Insurance on parsonage & office	321.00
Vacation Bible School	106.84
Miscellaneous	177.07
TOTAL AMOUNT PAID OUT	**$38.736.42**
BALANCE ON HAND 30 June 1986	**$ 639.70**

CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ASSOCIATION
1 JULY 1985 THRU 30 JUNE 1986

Apple Grove	$ 50.00
Bald Mountain	1,592.02
Baptist Home	.00
Bethel	305.00
Big Flatts	120.00
Big Laurel	195.00
Blue Ridge	75.00
Bristol	1,169.38
Buffalo	200.04
Calvary	120.00
Chestnut Hill	.00
Clifton	512.56
Fletcher Memorial	3,796.34
Friendly Grove	1,940.55
Friendship	1,489.78
Glendale Springs	180.00
Grassy Creek	600.00
Healing Springs	785.00
Landmark	62.62
Laurel Knob	683.89
Liberty Grove	750.00
Liberty Hill	.00
Little Helton	180.00
Long Branch	100.00
Midway	2,876.18
Mission Home	1,039.89
Mount Olive	132.00
New River	1,276.19
North Beaver	1,290.92
Oak Hill	120.00
Obids	96.00
Old Fields	900.00
Orion	643.87
Peak Valley	156.91
Phoenix	999.96
Pilot Mountain	132.30
Pine Swamp	150.00
Pleasant Home	338.58

Pleasant Valley	.00
Round Knob	150.00
Sabbath Home	53.67
South Beaver	523.28
Sturgills	500.00
Three Forks	325.00
Trinity	2,268.50
Tuckerdale	440.00
Wagoner	180.00
Warrensville	1,020.00
Welcome Home	485.00
West Jefferson First	1,449.92
TOTAL	**$32,455.35**

CONTRIBUTIONS TO ASHE BAPTIST SUMMER CAMP
July 1, 1985 thru June 30, 1986

Bald Mountain	240.00
Bethel	50.00
Big Laurel	60.00
Buffalo	100.00
Calvary	60.00
Clifton	50.00
Friendly Grove	504.00
Friendship	325.00
Glendale Springs	89.00
Grassy Creek	180.00
Laurel Knob	100.00
Liberty Grove	120.00
Mission Home	200.00
Mount Olive	222.00
New River	342.32
North Beaver	200.00
Obids	60.00
Orion	150.00
Phoenix	100.00
Pleasant Home	210.00
Three Forks	120.00
Tuckerdale	120.00

Wagoner	120.00
Warrensville	100.00
West Jefferson First	600.00
Sub Total	**4,422.32**

Mr. & Mrs. Luther Anderson	200.00
Mr. & Mrs. James Pope	96.00
Tri-county Paving	50.00
East Iredell Elem. School	25.00
Sub Total	**371.00**

Baptist Home Church	75.00
Fairplains Baptist Church	100.00
Greenview Baptist Church	71.00
Mount Paddy Church	154.00
Stone Mtn. Baptist Church	50.00
Sub Total	**450.00**

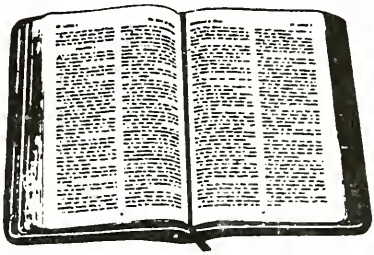
GRAND TOTAL $5,243.32

Addendum I – ARTICLES OF FAITH

(The Baptist Faith and Message as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963)

THE BAPTIST FAITH and MESSAGE

A statement adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention



Baptist are a people who profess a living faith. This faith is rooted and grounded in Jesus Christ who is "the same yesterday, and today and forever." Therefore, the sole authority for faith and practice among Baptists is Jesus Christ whose will is revealed in the Holy Scriptures.

A living faith must experience a growing understanding of truth and must be continually interpreted and related to the needs of each new generation. Throughout their history Baptist bodies, both large and small, have issued statements of faith which comprise a consensus of their beliefs. Such statements have never been regarded as complete, infallible statements of faith, nor as official creeds carrying mandatory authority. Thus this generation of Southern Baptists is in historic succession of intent and purpose as it endeavors to state for its time and theological climate those articles of the Christian faith which are most surely held among us.

Baptists emphasize the soul's competency before God, freedom in religion, and the priesthood of the believer. However, this emphasis should not be interpreted to mean that there is an absence of certain definite doctrines that Baptists believe, cherish, and with which they have been and are now closely identified.

It is the purpose of this statement of faith and message to set forth certain teachings which we believe.

The Scriptures

The Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is the record of God's revelation of Himself to many. It is a perfect treasure of divine instruction. It has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter.

Ex. 24:4; Deut. 4:1-2; 17:19; Josh. 8:34; Psalm 19:7-10; 119:11; 89; 105; 140; It reveals the principles by which God judges us; and therefore is, and will remain to the end of the world, the true center of Christian union, and the supreme standard by which all human conduct, creeds, and religious opinions should be tried. The criterion by which the Bible is to be interpreted is Jesus Christ.

Isa. 34:16; 40:8; Jer. 15:16; 36; Matt 5:17-18; 22-29; Luke 21-33; 24:44-46; John 5:39; 16:13-15; 17:17; Acts 2:16 ff.; 17:11; Rom. 15:4; 16:25-26; 2 Tim. 3:15-17; Heb. 1:1-2; 4:12; 1 Peter 1:25; 2 Peter 1:19-21

God

There is one and only one living and true God. He is an intelligent, spiritual, and personal Being, the Creator, Redeemer, Preserver, and Ruler of the universe. God is infinite in holiness and all other perfections. To Him we owe the highest love, reverence, and obedience. The eternal God reveals Himself to us as Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, with distinct personal attributes, but without division of nature, essence, or being.

A. God the Father

God as Father reigns with providential care over His universe, His creatures and the flow of the stream of human history according to the purpose of His grace. He is all powerful, all loving, and all wise. God is Father in truth to those who become children of God through faith in Jesus Christ. He is fatherly in His attitude toward all men.

Gen. 1:1; 2:7; Ex. 3:14; 6:2-3; 15:11 ff.; 20:1 ff.; Lev. 22:2; Deut. 6:4; 32:6; 1 Chron. 29:10; Psalm 19:1-3; Isa. 43:3, 15; 64:8; Jer. 10:10; 17:13; Matt. 6:9 ff.; 7:11; 23:9; 28:19; Mark 1:9-11; John 4:24; 5:26; 14:6-13; 17:1-8; Acts 1:7; Rom. 8:14-15; 1 Cor. 8:6; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 4:6; Col. 1:15; 1 Tim. 1:17; Heb. 11:6; 12:9; 1 Peter 1:17; 1 John 5:7

B. God the Son

Christ is the eternal Son of God. In His incarnation as Jesus Christ he was conceived of the Holy Spirt and born of the Virgin Mary. Jesus perfectly revealed and did the will of God, taking upon Himself the demands and necessities of human nature and identifying Himself completely with mankind yet without sin. He honored the divine law by His personal obedience, and in His death on the cross He made provision for the redemption of men from sin. He was raised from the dead with a glorified body and appeared to His disciples as the person who was with them before His crucifixion. He ascended into heaven and is now exalted at the right hand of God where He is the One Mediator, partaking of the nature of God and of man, and in whose Person is effected the reconciliation between God and man. He will return in power and glory to judge the world and to consummate His redemptive mission. He now dwells in all believers as the living and ever present Lord.

Gen. 18:1 ff.; Psalm 2:7 ff.; 110:1 ff.; Isa. 7:14; 53; Matt. 1:18-23; 3:17; 8:29; 11:27; 14:33; 16:16; 27; 17:5; 27; 28:1-6; 19; Mark 1:1; 3:11; Luke 1:35; 4:41; 22:70; 24:46; John 1:1-18; 29; 10:30; 38; 11:25-27; 12:44-50; 14:7-11; 16:15-16; 28; 17:1-5; 21-22; 20:1-20; 28; Acts 1:9; 2:22-24; 7:55-56; 9:4-5; 20; Rom. 1:3-4; 3:23-26; 5:6-21; 8:1-3; 34; 10:4; 1 Cor. 1:30; 2:2; 8:6; 15:1-8; 24-28; 2 Cor. 5:19-21; Gal. 4:4-5; Eph. 1:20; 3:11; 4:7-10; Phil. 2:5-11; Col. 1:13-22; 2:9; 1 Thess. 4:14-18; 1 Tim. 2:5-6; 3:16; Titus 2:13-14; Heb. 1:1-3; 4:14-15; 7:14-28; 9:12-15; 24:28; 12:2; 13:8; 1 Peter 2:21-25; 3:22; 1 John 1:7-9; 3:2; 4:14-15; 5:9; 2 John 7-9; Rev. 1:13-16; 5:9-14; 12:10-11; 13:8; 19:16

C. God the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of God. He inspired holy men of old to write the scriptures. Through illumination He enables me to understand truth. He exalts Christ. He convicts of sin, of righteousness and of judgment. He calls men to the

Saviour, and effects regeneration. He cultivates Christian character, comforts believers, and bestows the spiritual gifts by which they serve God through His church. He seals the believers unto the day of final redemption. His presence in the Christian is the assurance of God to bring the believers into the fulness of the stature of Christ. He enlightens and empowers the believer and the church in worship, evangelism, and service.

Gen. 1:2; Judg. 14:6; Job 26:13; Psalm 51:11; 139:7 ff.; Isa. 61:1-3; Joel 2:28-32; Matt. 1:18; 3:16; 4:1; 12:28-32; 28:19; Mark 1:10; 12; Luke 1:35; 4:1; 18-19; 11:13; 12:12; 24:49; John 4:24; 14:16-17; 26; 15:26; 16:7-14; Acts 1:8; 2:1-4; 38; 4:31; 5:3; 6:3; 7:55; 8:17; 39; 10:44; 13:2; 15:28; 16:6; 19:1-6; Rom. 8:9-11; 14-16; 26-27; 1 Cor. 2:10-14; 3:16; 12:3-11; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 1:13-14; 4:30; 5:18; 1 Thess. 5:19; 1 Tim. 3:16; 4:1; 2 Tim. 1:14; 3:16; Heb. 9:8; 14:2; Peter 1-21; 1 John 4:13; 5:6-7; Rev. 1:10; 22:17

Men

Man was created by the special act of God, in His own image, and is the crowning work of His creation. In the beginning man was innocent of sin and was endowed by His Creator with freedom of choice. By his free choice man sinned against God and brought sin into the human race. Through the temptation of Satan man trangressed the command of God, and fell from his original innocence; whereby his posterity inherit a nature and an environment inclined toward sin, and as soon as they are capable of moral action become transgressors and are under condemnation. Only the grace of God can bring man into His holy fellowship and enable man to fulfill the creative purpose of God. The sacredness of human personality is evident in that God created man in His own image, and in that Christ died for man; therefore every man possesses dignity and is worthy of respect and Christian love.

Gen. 1:26-30; 2:5; 7; 18-22; 3; 9-6; Psalm 1; 8:3-6; 32:1-5; 51:5; Isa. 6:5; Jer. 17:5; Matt. 16:26;, Acts 17:26-31; Rom. 1:19-32; 3:10-18; 23; 5:6; 12; 19; 6:6; 7:14-25; 8:14-18; 29; 1 Cor. 1:21-31; 15:19; 21-22; Eph. 2:1-22; 3:9-11

Salvation

Salvation involves the redemption of the whole man, and is offered freely to all who accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, who by His own blood obtained eternal redemption for the believer. In its broadest sense salvation includes regeneration, sanctification, and glorification.

A. Regeneration, or the new birth, is a work of God's grace whereby believers become new creatures in Christ Jesus. It is a change of heart wrought by the Holy Spirit through conviction of sin, to which the sinner responds in repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Repentance and faith are inseparable experiences of grace. Repentance is a genuine turning from sin toward God. Faith is the acceptance of Jesus Christ and commitment of the entire personality to Him as Lord and Saviour. Justification is God's gracious and full acquittal upon principles of His righteousness of all sinners who repent and believe in Christ. Justification brings the believer into a relationship of peace and favor with God.

B. Sanctification is the experience, beginning in regeneration, by which the believer is set apart to God's purposes, and is enabled to progress toward moral and spiritual perfection through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit dwelling in him. Growth in grace should continue throughout the regenerate person's life.

C. Glorification is the culmination of salvation and is the final blessed and abiding state of the redeemed.

Gen. 3:15; Ex. 3:14-17; 6:2-8; Matt. 1:21; 4:17; 16:21-26; 27:22 to 28:6; Luke 1:68-69; 2:28-32; John 1:11-14; 29; 3:3-21; 36; 5:24; 10:9; 28-29; 15:1-16; 17:17; Acts 2:21; 4:12; 15:11; 16:30-31; 17:30-31; 20:32; Rom. 1:16-18; 2:4; 3:23-25; 4:3 ff.; 5:8-10; 6:1-23; 8:1-18; 29-39; 10:9-10; 13; 13:11-14; 1 Cor. 1:18; 30; 6:19-20; 15:10; 2 Cor. 5:17-20; Gal. 2:20; 3:13; 5:22-25; 6:15; Eph. 1:7; 2:8-22; 4:11-16; Phil. 2:12-13; Col. 1:9-22; 3:1 ff.; 1 Thess. 5:23-24; 2 Tim. 1:12; Titus 2:11-14; Heb 2:1-3; 5:8-9; 9:24-28; 11:1-12:8; 14; James 2:14-16; 1 Peter 1:2-23; 1 John 1:6 to 2:11; Rev. 3:20; 21:1 to 22:5

God's Purpose and Grace

Election is the gracious purpose of God, according to which He regenerates, sanctifies, and glorifies sinners. It is consistent with the free agency of man, and comprehends all the means in connection with the end. It is a glorious display of God's sovereign goodness, and is infinitely wise, holy, and unchangeable. It excludes boasting and promotes humility.

All true believers endure to the end. Those whom God has accepted in Christ, and sanctified by His Spirit, will never fall away from the state of grace, but shall persevere to the end. Believers may fall into sin through neglect and temptation, whereby they grieve the Spirit, impair their graces and comforts, bring reproach on the cause of Christ, and temporal judgments on themselves, yet they shall be kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-8; 1 Sam. 8:4-7; 19-22; Isa. 5:1-7; Jer. 31:31 ff.; Matt. 16:18-19; 21:28-45; 24:22; 31; 25:34; Luke 1:68-79; 2:29-32; 19:41-44; 24:44-48; John 1:12-14; 3:16; 5:24; 6:44-45; 65; 10:27-29; 15:16; 17:6; 12; 17-18; Acts 20:32; Rom. 5:9-10; 8:28-39; 10:12-15; 11:5-7; 26-36; 1 Cor. 1:1-2; 15:24-28; Eph. 1:4-23; 2:1-10; 3:1-11; Col. 1:12-14; 2 Thess. 2:13-14; 2 Tim. 1:12; 2:10; 19; Heb. 11:39-12:2; 1 Peter 1:2-5; 13; 2:4-10; 1 John 1:7-9; 2:19; 3:2

The Church

A New Testament church of the Lord Jesus Christ is a local body of baptized believers who are associated by covenant in the faith and fellowship of the gospel, observing the two ordinances of Christ, committed to His teachings, exercising the gifts, rights, and privileges invested in them by His Word, and seeking to extend the gospel to the ends of the earth.

This church is an autonomous body, operating through democratic processes under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. In such a congregation members are equally responsible. Its Scriptural officers are pastors and deacons.

The New Testament speaks also of the church as the body of Christ which includes all of the redeemed of all ages.

Matt. 16:15-19; 18:15-20; Acts 2:41-42; 47; 5:11-14; 6:3-6; 13:1-3; 14:23; 27; 15:1-30; 16:5; 20:28; Rom. 1:7; 1 Cor. 1:2; 3:16; 5:4-5; 7:17; 9:13-14; 12; Eph. 1:22-23; 2:19-22; 3:8-11; 21; 5:22-32; Phil. 1:1; Col. 1:18; 1 Tim. 3:1-15; 4:14; 1 Peter 5:1-4; Rev. 2-3; 21:2-3

Baptism and the Lord's Supper

Christian baptism is the immersion of a believer in water in the name of the

Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. It is an act of obedience symbolizing the believer's faith in a crucified, buried, and risen Saviour, the believer's death to sin, the burial of the old life, and in the resurrection to walk in newness of life in Christ Jesus. It is a testimony to his faith in the final resurrection of the dead. Being a church ordinance, it is prerequisite to the privileges of church membership and to the Lord's Supper.

The Lord's Supper is a symbolic act of obedience whereby members of the church, through partaking of the bread and the fruit of the vine, memorialize the death of the Redeemer and anticipate His second coming.

Matt. 3:13-17; 26:26-30; 28:19-20; Mark 1:9-11; 14:22-26; Luke 3:21-22; 22:19-20; John 3:23; Acts 2:41-42; 8:35-39; 16:30-33; Acts 20:7; Rom. 6:3-5; 1 Cor. 10:16; 21; 11:23-29; Col. 2:12

The Lord's Day

The first day of the week is the Lord's Day. It is a Christian institution for regular observance. It commemorates the resurrection of Christ from the dead and should be employed in exercises of worship and spiritual devotion, both public and private, and by refraining from worldly amusements, and resting from secular employments, work of necessity and mercy only being excepted.

Ex. 20:8-11; Matt. 12:1-12; 28:1 ff.; Mark 2:27-28; 16:1-7; Luke 24:1-3; 33-36; John 4:21-24; 20:1; 19-28; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:1-2; Col. 2:16; 3:16; Rev. 1:10

The Kingdom

The Kingdom of God includes both His general sovereignty over the universe and His particular kingship over men who willfully acknowledge Him as King. Particularly the Kingdom is the realm of salvation into which men enter by trustful, childlike, commitment to Jesus Christ. Christians ought to pray and to labor that the Kingdom may come and God's will be done on earth. The full consummation of the Kingdom awaits the return of Jesus Christ and the end of this age.

Gen. 1:1; Isa. 9:6-7; Jer. 23:5-6; Matt. 3:2; 4:8-10; 23; 12:25-28; 13:1-52; 25:31-46; 26:29; Mark 1:14-15; 9-1; Luke 4:43; 8:1; 9:2; 12:31-32; 17:20-21; 23:42; John 3:3; 18-36; Acts 1:6-7; 17:22-31; Rom. 5:17; 8:19; 1 Cor. 15:24-28; Col. 1:13; Heb. 11:10; 16; 12:28; 1 Peter 2:4-10; 4:13; Rev. 1:6; 9; 5:10; 11:15; 21-22

Last Things

God, in His own time and in His own way, will bring the world to its appropriate end. According to His promise, Jesus Christ will return personally and visibly in glory to the earth; the dead will be raised; and Christ will judge all men in righteousness. The unrighteous will be consigned to Hell, the place of everlasting punishment. The righteous in their resurrected and glorified bodies will receive their reward and will dwell forever in Heaven with the Lord.

Isa. 2:4; 11:9; Matt. 16-27; 18:8-9; 19:28; 24:27; 30; 36; 44; 25:31-46; 26:64; Mark 8:38; 9:43-48; Luke 12:40; 48; 16:19-26; 17:22-37; 21:27-28; John 14:1-3; Acts 1:11; 17:31; Rom. 14:10; 1 Cor. 4:5; 15:24-28; 35-58; 2 Cor. 5:10; Phil. 3:20-21; Col. 1:5; 3:4; 1 Thess. 4:14-18; 5:1 ff.; 2 Thess. 1:7 ff.; 2; 1 Tim. 6:14; 2 Tim. 4:1, 8; Titus 2:13; Heb. 9:27-28; James 5:8; 2 Peter 3:7 ff.; 1 John 2:28; 3-2; Jude 14; Rev. 1:18; 3:11; 20:1 to 22:13

Evangelism and Missions

It is the duty and privilege of every follower of Christ and of every church of the Lord Jesus Christ to endeavor to make disciples of all nations. The new birth of man's spirit by God's Holy Spirit means the birth of love for others. Missionary efforts on the part of all rests thus upon a spiritual necessity of the regenerate life, and is expressly and repeatedly commanded in the teachings of Christ. It is the duty of every child of God to seek constantly to win the lost to Christ by personal effort and by all other methods in harmony with the gospel of Christ.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-6; Isa. 6:1-8; Matt. 9:37-38; 10:5-15; 13:18-30; 37-43; 16:19; 22:9-10; 24:14; 28:18-20; Luke 10:1-18; 24:46-53; John 14:11-12; 15:7-8; 16; 17:15; 20:21; Acts 1:8; 2; 8:26-40; 10:42-48; 13:2-3; Rom. 10:13-15; Eph. 3:1-11; 1 Thess. 1:8; 2 Tim. 4-5; Heb. 2:1-3; 11:39 to 12:2; 1 Peter 2:4-10; Rev. 22:17

Education

The cause of education in the Kingdom of Christ is co-ordinate with the causes of missions and general benevolence, and should receive along with these the liberal support of the churches. An adequate system of Christian schools is necessary to a complete spiritual program for Christ's people.

In Christian education there should be a proper balance between academic freedom and academic responsibility. Freedom in any orderly relationship of human life is always limited and never absolute. The freedom of a teacher in a Christian school, college, or seminary is limited by the preeminence of Jesus Christ, by the authoritative nature of the Scriptures, and by the distinct purpose for which the school exists.

Deut. 4:1; 5; 9; 14; 6:1-10; 31:12-13; Neh. 8:1-8; Job 28:28; Psalm 19:7 ff.; 119:11; Prov. 3:13 ff.; 4:1-10; 8:1-7; 11; 15:14; Eccl. 7:19; Matt. 5:2; 7:24 ff.; 28:19-20; Luke 2:40; 1 Cor. 1:18-31; Eph. 4:11-16; Phil. 4:8; Col. 2:3; 8-9; 1 Tim. 1:3-7; 2 Tim. 2:15; 3:14-17; Heb. 5:12 to 6:3; James 1:5; 3:17

Stewardship

God is the source of all blessings, temporal and spiritual; all that we have and are we owe to Him. Christians have a spiritual debtorship to the whole world, a holy trusteeship in the gospel, and a binding stewardship in their possessions. They are therefore under obligation to serve Him with their time, talents, and material possessions; and should recognize all these as entrusted to them to use for the glory of God and for helping others. According to the Scriptures, Christians should contribute of their means cheerfully, regularly, systematically, proportionately, and liberally for the advancement of the Redeemer's cause on earth.

Gen. 14:20; Lev. 27:30-32; Deut. 8:18; Mal. 3:8-12; Matt. 6:1-4; 19-21; 23:23; 25:14-29; Luke 12:16-21; 42; 16:1-13; Acts 2:44-47; 5:1-11; 17:24-25; Rom. 6:6-22; 12:1-2; 1 Cor. 4:1-2; 6:19-20; 12; 16:1-4; 2 Cor. 8-9; 12:15; Phil. 4:10-19; 1 Peter 1:18-19

Cooperation

Christ's people should, as occasion requires, organize such associations and conventions as may best secure cooperation for the great objects of the Kingdom of God. Such organizations have no authority over one another or over the churches. They

are voluntary and advisory bodies designed to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of our people in the most effective manner. Members of New Testament churches should cooperate with one another in carrying forward the missionary, educational, and benevolent ministries for the extension of Christ's Kingdom. Christian unity in the New Testament sense is spiritual harmony and voluntary cooperation for common ends by various groups of Christ's people. Cooperation is desirable between the various Christian denominations, when the end to be attained is itself justified, and when such cooperation involves no violation of conscience or compromise of loyalty to Christ and His Word as revealed in the New Testament.

Ex. 17:12; 18:17 ff.; Judg. 7:21; Ezra 1:3-4; 2:68-69; 5:14-15; Neh. 4; 8:1-5; Matt. 10:5-15; 20:1-16; 22:1-10; 28:19-20; Mark 2:3; Luke 10:1 ff.; Acts 1:13-14; 2:1 ff.; 4:31-37; 13:2-3; 15:1-35; 1 Cor. 1:10-17; 3:5-15; 12; 2 Cor. 8-9; Gal. 1:6-10; Eph. 4:1-16; Phil. 1:15-18

The Christian and the Social Order

Every Christian is under obligation to seek to make the will of Christ supreme in his own life and in human society. Means and methods used for the improvement of society and the establishment of righteousness among men can be truly and permanently helpful only when they are rooted in the regeneration of the individual by the saving grace of God in Christ Jesus. The Christian should oppose in the spirit of Christ every form of greed, selfishness, and vice. He should work to provide for the orphaned, the needy, the aged, the helpless and the sick. Every Christian should seek to bring industry, government, and society as a whole under the sway of the principles of righteousness, truth and brotherly love. In order to promote these ends Christians should be ready to work with all men of good will in any good cause always being careful to act in the spirit of love without compromising their loyalty to Christ and His truth.

Ex. 20:3-17; Lev. 6:2-5; Deut. 10:12; 27:17; Psalm 101:5; Mic. 6:8; Zech. 8:16; Matt. 5:13-16; 43-48; 22:36-40; 25:35; Mark 1:29-34; 2:3 ff.; 10:21; Luke 4:18-21; 10:27-37; 20-25; John 15:12; 17:15; Rom. 12-14; 1 Cor. 5:9-10; 6:1-7; 7:20-24; 10:23 to 11:1; Gal. 3:26-28; Eph. 6:5-9; Col. 3:12-17; 1 Thess. 3:12; Philemon; James 1:27; 2:8

Peace and War

It is the duty of Christians to seek peace with all men on principles of righteousness. In accordance with the spirit and teachings of Christ they should do all in their power to put an end to war.

The true remedy for the war spirit is the gospel of our Lord. The supreme need of the world is the acceptance of His teachings in all the affairs of men and nations, and the practical application of His law of love.

Isa. 2:4; Matt. 5:9; 38-48; 6:33; 26:52; Luke 22:36; 38; Rom. 12:18-19; 13:1-7; 14:19; Heb. 12:14; James 4:1-2

Religious Liberty

God alone is Lord of the conscience, and He has left it free from the doctrines and commandments of men which are contrary to His Word or not contained in it. Church and state should be separate. The state owes to every church protection and full freedom in the pursuit of its spiritual ends. In providing for such freedom no

ecclesiastical group or denomination should be favored by the state more than others. Civil government being ordained of God, it is the duty of Christians to render loyal obedience thereto in all things not contrary to the revealed will of God. The church should not resort to the civil power to carry on its work. The gospel of Christ contemplates spiritual means alone for the pursuit of its ends. The state has no right to impose penalities for religious opinions of any kind. The state has no right to impose taxes for the support of any form of religion. A free church in a free state is the Christian ideal, and this implies the right of free and unhindered access to God on the part of all men, and the right to form and propagate opinions in the sphere of religion without interference by the civil power.

Gen. 1:27; 2:7; Matt. 6:6-7; 24; 16:26; 22:21; John 8:36; Acts 4:19-20; Rom. 6:1-2; 13:1-7; Gal. 5:1; 13; Phil. 3:20; 1 Tim. 2:1-2; James 4:12; 1 Peter 2:12-17; 3:11-17; 4:12-19

CONSTITUTION

Article I — Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communities closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The memberhip of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken as may be decided upon by the Association.

Section 5. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership and may receive churches according to the Association's Constitution and By-Laws. Any church in the Association which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years shall be contacted by the Executive Committee of the association to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association.

A cooperating church shall be defined as one which sends a report (Church Letter) to the annual session, is represented (by messengers) at the annual session, contributes to the financial program of the association and is in general sympathy with the purposes of the association. The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association.

Article II — Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in cooperating with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Con.

Article III — Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV — Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Moderator of the Association (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) to preside over the annual sessions and all special sessions Including the meetings of the Executive Committee. As the presiding officer, he shall open the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforce the rules, preserve the order, and exercise all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parliamentary usage. He shall name the committees and representatives of Institutions and agencies described in Sections 5,6,7 and 8 of Article V of the Constitution at the opening of the annual session. He shall be elected for a one year term, and he cannot succeed himself after the second consecutive term.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the proceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. (1) The Director of Missions shall be elected upon a recommendation of the Committee on Missions, and by vote of the Association at a regularly scheduled meeting. The relationship between the Association and its Director of Missions may be terminated following a reasonable notice of not less than 30 days.

(2) The Director of Missions shall promote the work and witness of the Association and denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers and Associational committees and organizations.

A. He shall be responsible for planning, promoting, and executing the ministry of the Association in cooperation with the Committee on Missions.

B. He shall make an annual report to the Association at the August meeting.

C. He shall be an ex officio member of all committees of the Association serving in an advisory and/or resource capacity.

D. He shall seek to visit each church in the Association in order to:

(1) Enrich Christian fellowship among the churches.

(2) Encourage and strengthen the ministry of the churches.

(3) Enhance the cooperative relationship between the churches and the Association.

E. He shall, when necessary, conduct surveys or inquiries in order to determine specific needs for ministry within the area of the Association.

F. He shall, upon request, provide a list of qualified persons who may be considered by churches seeking pastors.

G. He shall have full administrative responsibility for all personnel employed by the Association.

(3) The Director of Missions is entitled to two weeks vacation annually. Upon completion of five years service, the Director of

Missions shall be entitled to three weeks annual vacation, and after ten years, four weeks annual vacation. Vacation is to be taken within the calendar year, and it is not accumulative.

The Director of Missions is entitled to 30 days sick leave per calendar year, sick leave is not to be taken as vacation, and it is not accumulative.

(4) Should there occur at any time a grievance on the part of the Association or the Director of Missions, either party may consult with the Moderator and Chairmen of the Missions Committees.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next session.

Article V — Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, Mission Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Association Executive Committee shall be composed of one lay member of all churches, the pastors of such churches and the officers of the Association as listed under Section 1 of Article IV. Twelve members of this committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business, after notice of such meeting has been mailed or otherwise given to all members of the

committee at least three days prior to the proposed meeting. Members of this committee shall be elected by the churches annually.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator, ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct the organization of new churches in accordance with the rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister to deliver the Associational Sermon and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members who shall bring to the next annual session following their appointment, nominations for the several officers of the association, including, Moderator, Vice-Moderator and Clerk/Treasurer. Exceptions will be Organizational Heads which are named by their respective organizations. The nomination Committee shall also submit the names of all committee members, the only exceptions being the Nominating, Place & Preacher, and Resolutions committees which are appointed by the

Moderator. The Officers and Committees named in this article shall be elected on the first day of each annual session, subject to additional nominations from the floor and the expressed will of the Association.

Section 8. The Moderator is authorized and directed to appoint suitable persons at each session to prepare and present to the next session reports on the various subjects and causes customary to be presented and to notify such persons in due time before the meeting of the Association.

Section 9. The Board of Directors of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three (3) for one year, three (3) for two years, and three (3) for three years.

Of the said nine members, three shall be active pastors in the Association. After the completion of one term, no member shall be eligible for re-election to this board until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this board may be chosen from any one church of the Association. The treasurer of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp (who shall serve in addition to the nine member Board of Directors) shall be elected by the Board of Directors on an indefinite basis. He/She shall have charge of the collection and disbursement of all designated funds as instructed by the Board of Directors. He/She shall have voting privileges as do the other members.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to cooperate with the officials, pastors and Executive Committee of the Association in promoting and advancing the development and operation of the camp; to supervise and direct the work of the camp; and to make a report to the Association at each annual meeting. Vacancies occuring in this organization shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

10. The Missions Committee shall consist of five members composed of the following organizational heads: Sunday School, Church Training, W.M.U., Brotherhood and associational Music Director. The committee shall be elected annually. It shall work with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of the Association and lead and assist in determining need for beginning new mission stations and organizing new churches. The Moderator

and the Director of Missions shall be ex-officio members of this committee.

Section 11. The Ordination Committee shall consist of five (5) members, at least three of whom shall be pastors, serving in the association. The Chairman, at his discretion, may invite the pastor of a candidate to sit with the committee. Churches of the association desiring to ordain a preacher to the Gospel Ministry and desiring to use the services of the Ordination Committee of the Ashe Baptist Association shall use the following procedure.

1. The church in conference shall vote to ask the Ordination Committee to examine the candidate and so notify the chairman.
2. The candidate shall meet the following conditions before ordination.
   (a) Hold membership in a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (b) Shall have been called as pastor of a Cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (c) Shall have held a license to preach, issued by a Cooperating Missionary Baptist Church for not less than six months.
3. The Chairman shall set a suitable time and place, notifying the members, for the examination.
4. The candidate shall be examined as to his Conversion, Call to the Ministry, Doctrinal Beliefs, Attitude toward our denomination and its programs.
5. The Committee Chairman shall notify the church of its recommendations and they may proceed with the ordination.

Article V - Section 12

Section 12. The Evangelism Committee, composed of 6 members, shall promote the work of Evangelism in the churches and the association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its executive Committee.

Article V - Section 13 - Constitution and By-Laws Committee

Section 13. The nominating committee shall nominate a committee on Constitution and By-Laws consisting of five members, of which the first named shall serve as chairman. It shall be the duty of this committee to receive, examine and make recommendations to the Association on all proposed amendments to the Constitution or the By-Laws.

Article V - Section 14 - Properties Committee

Section 14. The nominating committee shall nominate a Properties Committee which shall consist of three members and shall have the responsibility of recommending the purchase of necessary property and the construction of necessary buildings. This committee shall recommend any repairs and improvements needed on associational property. All recommendations subject to approval by the Executive Committee between sessions or the full-body in session.

Article VI — Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening in the month of August of each year, at such time and place as may be designated or authorized by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII — Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as herein before provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least

one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII — Power and Perogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowship from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to cooperate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX — Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son and the Holy Gost, and these three are One.

2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the Only rule of Faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.

4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.

1. Apple Grove
2. Farmers Memorial
4. Big Laurel
5. Sabbath Home
6. Tuckerdale
7. Long Branch
9. Clifton
10. Three Forks
11. Baptist Home
12. Pine Mountain
13. Rock Creek
14. Peak Valley
15. Prosperity
17. Bald Mountain
18. Laurel Knob
19. Big Flatts
20. Pilot Mountain
21. Blue Ridge
22. Old Fields
23. Pine Swamp
24. Obids
25. Liberty Grove
26. Mission Home
27. Mount Olive
28. North Beaver
29. Round Knob
30. Glendale Springs
31. Bethel
32. South Beaver
33. Orion
34. Midway
35. W. J. First
36. Friendly Grove
37. Calvary
38. Buffalo
39. Grassy Creek
40. Fletcher Memorial
41. Warrensville
42. Bristol
43. Friendship
44. Welcome Home
45. Wagoner
46. Phoenix
47. Oak Hill
48. Liberty Hill
50. Landmark
51. Healing Springs
52. Chestnut Hill
53. Pleasant Home
54. New River
55. Pleasant Valley
56. Little Helton
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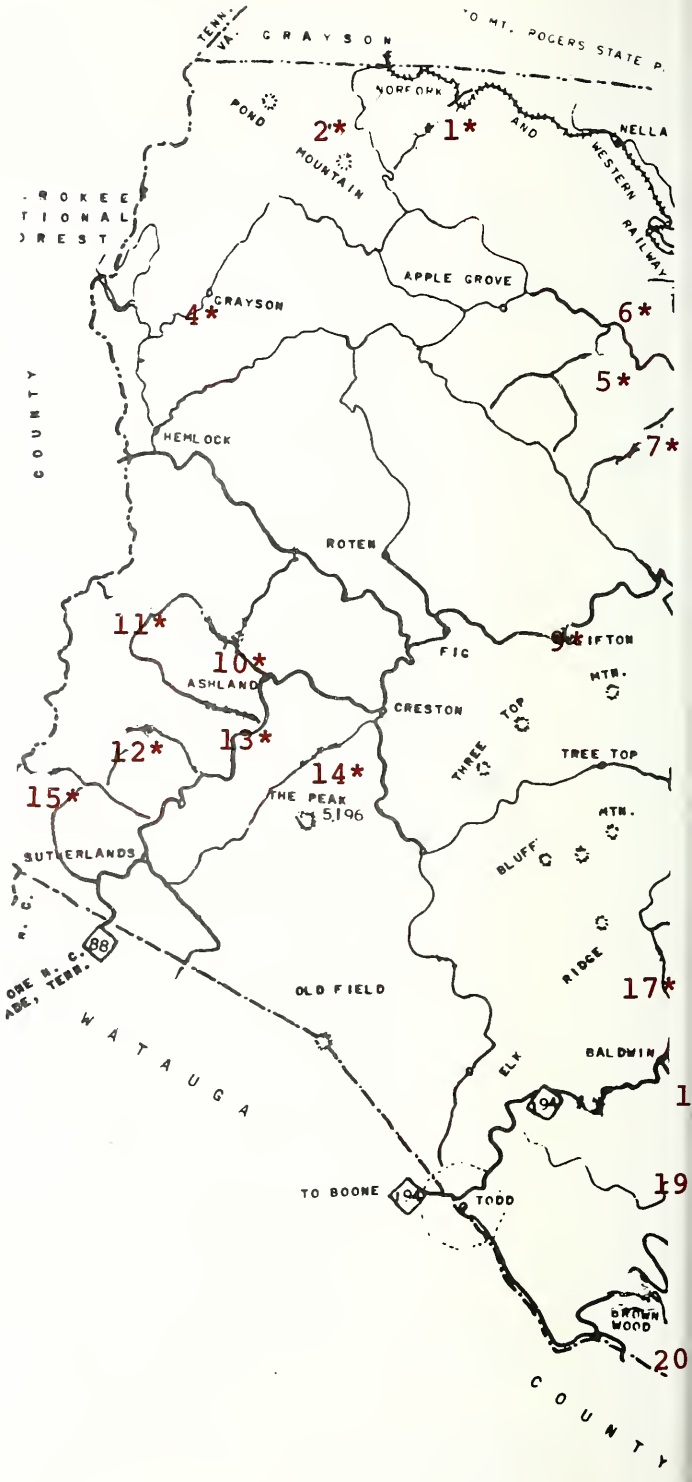
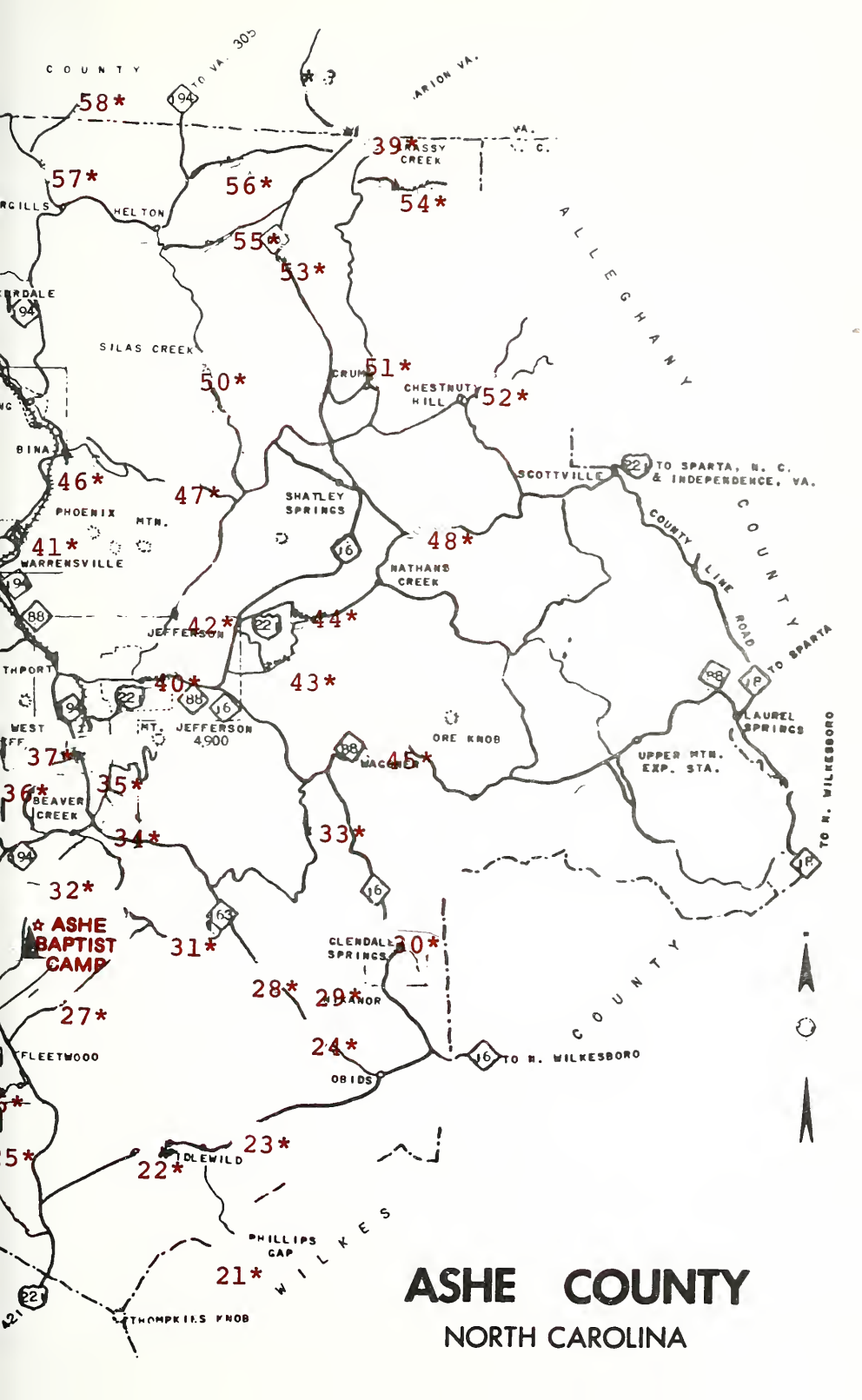
58. Laurel Hill

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TO SPARTA, N. C. & INDEPENDENCE, VA.
COUNTY LINE ROAD
TO SPARTA
SHATLEY SPRINGS
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PHOENIX MTN.
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LAUREL SPRINGS
TO N. WILKESBORO
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6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with the church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.

7. We believe in the final perseverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.

8. We believe in a separate resurrection and judgment, both for the righteous, and unrighteous dead.

9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules Of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.

2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.

3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.

4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.

5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and the assemble, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation, and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES OF THE ONE-HUNDRETH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION AUGUST 1, 1986

The one-hundreth annual session of the Ashe Baptist Associaton commenced at 2 o'clock p.m. on Friday, August 1, 1986 at the Trinity Baptist Church with Trinity and Midway Baptist Churches acting as co-hosts.

In observance of our one-hundreth anniversary as an association several of those attending came dressed similar to how our ancestors dressed 100 years ago.

The call to order was made by Vice-Moderator, Mr. Marvin Osborne.

Those present were lead in the singing of "Praise Him, Praise Him" by Debbie Marshall and Angie Brown. The welcome and devotion was made by host pastor, Rev. Homer Murdock, pastor of Trinity Baptist Church. Rev. Murdock read the 148th Psalms and lead in prayer.

Seating of the messengers was conducted by Moderator Osborne.

A motion for the adoption of the order of business was made by Joe Jewell of Trinity, seconded by James Watson of Blue Ridge, voted on and carried.

The moderator then asked all visitors to stand. Several present.

Rev. Ray Ham, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church, was the only new pastor present.

No additon of churches had been made to the Association during the past year.

Attention was called to the Committees appointed annually by the moderator as printed on page 5 of the program.

During the business session the following officers and organizational heads were elected:

Moderator - Mr. Marvin Osborne
Vice-Moderator - Rev. David Blackburn
Clerk/Treasurer - Jeannie McNeill
Sunday School Director - Rev. Ervel Jones
Church Training Director - Mrs. Gwen Elliott
WMU Director - Mrs. Irene Campbell

Church Music Director - Mrs. Margaret Vance

Roll Call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill with 42 churches having representatives present.

"All the Way My Savior Leads Me" was lead by Debbie Marshall and Angie Brown.

REPORTS:

Colleges-Institutions-Agencies:

Miss Sue Fitzgerald of Mars Hill College reported and included in her report the fact that Baptist Colleges grant three and one-half to four million dollars worth of financial aid in some form each year. She invited everyone to come visit Mars Hill.

Wake Forest University representative, Mr. John Woodard, reported and included discussion on the archives department and baptist church records being microfilmed and stored at Wake Forest.

Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute was reported on by Rev. Alex Booth.

Congregational hymn "Redeemed, How I Love to Proclaim It" was lead by Debbie Marshall and Angie Brown.

The moderator asked all those who came dressed in old-fashioned attire to please stand. Approximately 15 people stood.

Baptist Children's Homes report was made by Mr. Charles Tanner. He reported that the children's homes is 101 years old and will minister to over 1600 children this coming year.

Baptist Retirement Homes report made by representative Ms. Carolyn Bunting. She expressed appreciation for the offerings given to support these homes.

Baptist Hospital report was given by Rev. Calvin Knight. He included in his report news of the hospital's first heart transplant operation being on July 7 and the 17 year old patient was expected to go home on August 2.

Moderator Osborne expressed appreciation for those who have come and spoke to us about the colleges and other Baptist institutions.

Congregational hymn "Wonderful Words of Life" was lead by Jack Watson and Angie Brown.

Christian Action League report was made by local representative, Mr. Delmas Parker, who moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Rev. Manuel Cunnup, Director of Missions of the Piedmont Association, presented a very interesting monalogue of Rev. Shubal Stearns. Rev. Stearns was instrumental in establishing the first Association in North Carolina.

The congregation joined in singing "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" lead by Jack Watson and Angie Brown.

Treasurer's Report was made by treasurer, Jeannie McNeill. A motion for adoption was made by James Watson, seconded by Charlie Severt, voted on and carried.

The proposed budget for next year was presented by Mr. Jack Watson. This will be voted on at Saturday's session.

Mr. A. D. Goodman presented the two changes proposed to be made in the Constitution. (He asked Bill Ballou to read both versions.) This will be voted on at tomorrow's session.

Rev. Bill Ballou asked Mrs. E. Z. Sexton to stand and be recognized. She stated she has attended 60 annual meetings.

Rev. Jerry Burleson made a motion that we receive an offering at this time to apply toward retirement of the parsonage indebtedness. Seconded by Dean Watson, voted on and carried. (It was reported after the Treasurer's report that Friendly Grove Baptist Church has recently contributed $940.00 toward the $1250.00 indebtedness.) While the congregation was lead in the singing of "Amazing Grace" by Jack Watson and Mrs. Manuel Cunnup, ushers received $262.45.

Since the meeting was running ahead of schedule, the evening message was delivered by Rev. George Shore of the Program and Budget Planning Department of the Baptist State Convention. Rev. Shore read from Proverbs and spoke on reaching people with boldness and preaching. He stated that 2.5 million people in North Carolina do not know Christ. "We need to have a sense of urgency to reach these people before the year 2000 and tell them of God's love in Jesus Christ." Rev. Shore also discussed our need for strengthening missions and ministering to people who have needs. He continued, "It is the dream of the Convention for North Carolina to establish 250 new churches by the year 1990".

The Annual Sermon was delivered by Rev. Gary Teague, pastor of Fletcher Memorial Baptist Church. He read several verses from Mark 2 beginning with verse 1. Rev. Jimmy Warden was asked to lead in prayer. Rev. Teague spoke on Jesus Christ being our perfect example (he never preached a funeral message)

and the characteristics of the right kind of church being: (1) The church must have the right motive. He stated, ''there is always something we can do. God will take what we do and multiply it''. He added, ''the right motive is bring others to Christ''. (2) The church must have the right kind of people. People who have experienced the love of God. People who know him in a personal way. (3) must utilize the right resources - the testimony of the Christian and preaching of the word. Rev. Teague concluded, ''We need to share the gospel and this will fill our churches. The Lord must be glorified in it all.''

All business scheduled for today's session has been taken care of so it will not be necessary to meet after the evening meal.

The Moderator thanked Trinity for hosting the association and to Midway and Trinity for co-hosting and serving the evening meal. He asked Rev. Tommy Shatley to give the benediction and ask the blessing on the food.

Saturday's session commenced at the Welcome Home Baptist Church with Welcome Home and Healing Springs co-hosting today's session.

Welcome was given by Moderator Marvin Osborne and those present were lead in the singing of ''How Great Thou Art'' by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Welcome and devotion by Fred McNeill of the Welcome Home Baptist Church. He read Genesis 1:1-10 and asked Rev. Bill McMillian to lead in prayer.

Moderator Osborne recognized all visitors by asking them to stand.

REPORTS:

Sunday School Report made by Rev. John Leek who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

Christian Literature Report made by Rev. John Leek who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Kyle Ball, voted on and carried.

Church Training Report made by Mrs. Gwen Elliott who moved for the adoption of this report, seconded by Clemmie Wilcox, voted on and carried.

WMU Report of Mrs. Irene Campbell given in her absence by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

WMU Centennial Report made by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Kyle Ball, voted on and carried.

Mrs. Ferry Hartzog and Mrs. Flavel Phillips were present and recognized for having been in the WMU for 52 years.

There was not a report on Brotherhood from Rev. Wayne Fredericks.

BUSINESS SESSION:

A motion to adopt the associational budget as presented at the Friday session made by Paul Hager, seconded by Gwen Elliott, voted on and carried.

A motion to adopt the changes in the constitution as presented at the Friday session made by Paul Hager, seconded by Gwen Elliott, voted on and carried.

A motion to adopt the changes in the constitution as presented at the Friday session made by Kyle Ball; seconded by Ford Cooper.

After discussion by Rev. Jerry Burleson he made a motion that the motion be amended to read "Not less than 30 days notice" instead of "reasonable notice" in the second proposed change; seconded by Ray Ham, voted on and carried.

The orginial motion was then voted on and carried.

A motion to approve the organizational leaders and associational committees as nominated and recommended by the nominating committee was made by Charlie Severt, seconded by Kyle Ball, voted on and carried.

Church music report given by Mrs. Margaret Vance. Motion to adopt by Paul Hager, seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

A motion to dedicate this year's minutes to Miss Mary Jordan and Rev. Gwyn Blackburn was made by Mrs. Georgia Hager, seconded by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Roll Call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill and 40 churches had representatives present.

Special music was presented by Mrs. Margaret Vance accompanied by Mrs. Maureen Blackburn at the piano.

Rev. Glenn Graves of the First Baptist Church of Sparta spoke on youth and campus ministry as a representative of the Baptist Board.

Executive Committee report given by Mr. Kyle Ball who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by David Lambert, voted on and carried.

Seminary Extension report by Rev. Gary Teague who moved for its adoption; seconded by Kyle Ball, voted on and carried.

Pastor's Salary and Retirement Report of Rev. Jimmy Eldreth was approved as will be printed in the minutes.

Expanded Church Annuity Plan report by Mr. John Ward of the Baptist State Convention.

Local annuity representative, Rev. Ervel Jones, reported and moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "Heaven Came Down" lead by Mrs. Margaret Vance and Mrs. Maureen Blackburn.

During miscellaneous business Rev. Bill Ballou asked that we meet on the third Friday and Saturday of each August instead of the first Friday and Saturday. A motion to this effect was made by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox; seconded by Paul Hager, voted on and carried.

Evangelism Report given by Rev. Jimmy Warden who moved for its adoption; seconded by David Lambert, voted on and carried.

Biblical Recorder report given by Mrs. Linda Eller who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Joe Montague, voted on and carried.

Rev. Coy Privette of the Christian Action League gave a very informative report. He included the good news that hard core poronographic outlets in North Carolina have been reduced from 750 to 125 since last year. Also that several large cities have removed porno channels from television. He discussed the Obsenity and Child Protection Act that went into effect in North Carolina last year. He also reported that the 1987 session of the General Assembly will introduce a bill for a state lottery and the importance of our working against this passing. He reminded those present, "Never grow weary in well doing".

Cooperative Program report of Mr. A. D. Goodman was moved for adoption as printed in the program by Bill Ballou; seconded by Ervel Jones, voted on and carried.

Associational Stewardship report given by Rev. Homer Murdock who moved for its adoption; seconded by Jimmy Warden, voted on and carried.

"Near to the Heart of God" was lead by Margaret Vance and Maureen Blackburn.

The message was given by the pastor of Midway Baptist Church, Rev. Ervel Jones. He read from Acts 9. He spoke on "From what Paul was to what Paul is, on that day. "Paul came face to face with the living Christ on the road to Damascus. What happens when a sinner has an encounter with the Savior". He continued, "Paul had such an encounter". Paul found God is prompt, personal and piercing. He was employed by God after this encounter. Paul was the great new testament missionary.

Rev. Claybern Roten gave the benediction and asked the blessing.

The Afternoon Session convened at 1:15 o'clock p.m. with Rev. David Blackburn, Vice Moderator, presiding. He expressed thanks to the ladies of Welcome Home and Healing Springs Churches for the delicious lunch.

Devotion was presented by Rev. Dean Watson, pastor of Healing Springs Baptist Church. Rev. Watson read Psalms 67 and lead in prayer.

REPORTS: The Baptist Children's Home report of Mrs. Tammy Parunak was presented, in her absence, for adoption by Rev. Bill Ballou, seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Baptist Homes for the Aging report made by local representative, Rev. John Goodman, who moved for its adoption, seconded by David Lambert, voted on and carried.

Baptist Hospital report was given by local representative, Rev. Jerry Burleson, who moved for its adoption; seconded by Joe Montague, voted on and carried.

Rev. Bill Ballou made a motion that the American Bible Society report of Kathleen Turnmire, who was not present, be incorporated into the minutes upon receipt; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Rev. Bill Ballou moved that the Christian Education Report of Truett Eller, who was not present, be incorporated into the minutes upon receipt; seconded by Homer Murdock, voted on and carried.

Vice-Moderator Blackburn asked all to stand and be recognized that had attended dressed in old-fashioned clothes.

Special Music was provided by the Associational Youth Choir under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Vance.

The Afternoon message was delivered by Rev. Charlie McCoy, Pastor of Big Flatts. Rev McCoy asked Rev. Billy Joe Blevins to lead in prayer. He then read from Nehemiah 4 and Matthew 7:24-27. His message dealt with "Building the right way and building together". Rev. McCoy stated, "We need to have a mind to work and be willing to work in the vineyard of the Lord". He added, "I am afraid we Baptist have lost a lot of our vision.... We need to work together for the glory of God. We need to expect great things in our association this next year. We need to all get involved in bringing the unsaved to Christ. We need to pray and have the faith that God is going to hear that prayer." He concluded by saying, "We have gotten involved in too many other things instead of building the local church. It takes commitment in order to build something that will last. We need to build on the rock - we need to build on the word of God - we need to stand on the word of God."

REPORTS:

The Vacation Bible School report was made by Rev. Bill Ballou who moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Dean Watson, voted on and carried.

Director of Missions report given by Rev. Bill Ballou moved for adoption of this report; seconded by Paul Hagel, voted on and carried. During discussion Rev. Ballou commented that he has commenced his 18th year as Director of Missions for the Ashe Association.

Foreign Missions report was given by Mrs. Linda Richardson who moved for the adoption of her report; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Home Missions report of Mrs. Lois Jones, who was not present, was moved to be incorporated as printed in the program by Rev. Bill Ballou, seconded by Kyle Ball, voted on and carried.

State Missions report of Don Goodman, who was not present, was moved to be incorporated as printed in the program by Bill Ballou, seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Area Missions report of Rev. Tom Lolley was moved for adoption by Bill Ballou, seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Associational Missions report presented by Rev. Homer Murdock who moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Dean Watson, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "Victory in Jesus" was lead by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Time, Place and Preacher Committee report made by Rev. Dean Watson who reported that Sturgills and Tuckerdale will co-host the annual meeting on Saturday of next year at the Tuckerdale Baptist Church. The Preacher to be Rev. Jack Pugh.

Resolutions Committee Report made by Rev. Jack Miller who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

During Miscellaneous business Rev. Bill Ballou moved that we dispense with reading of the minutes and allow prayer at the end of the Memorial Service to be the benediction; seconded by Gary Watson, voted on and carried.

The Memorial Service was conducted by Rev. Bill Day. Rev. David Blackburn was asked to offer closing prayer.

REPORT OF THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY TO THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONS

The faithful support which the Southern Baptist Convention has always given to the Bible cause is a blessing from God and a source of great encouragement to us. We are grateful to have you as partners in our worldwide Scripture ministry.

Available figures indicate that significant progress was made in the areas of both distribution and translation during 1985. As the year advanced, calls for Bibles and New Testaments in local languages came from all quarters of the globe, but especially from churches in the Third World. In active cooperation with our associates in the United Bible Societies, an international partnership of which the American Bible Society is a leading member and through which we conduct our work overseas, more than 542,000,000 Scriptures were distributed worldwide in 1985 alone, an increase of almost 5 percent over 1984. Through the United Bible Societies we are also supporting Scripture translation work in 544 different languages around the world. In 360 of these languages a part of the Bible is being translated for the first time. Thirty-four projects involve the revision of former translations. The remaining projects are new translations in languages that have had previous translations but where the need exists for a clearer common language version which people can more easily understand.

Together with our overseas Bible Society partners, we have been actively involved in the translation and publication of complete new Bibles in seven languages in which only a part of God's Word had previously been available. The Bible Society has a clear commitment to provide people with a full record of the wonderful works of God and the ways in which His people are called upon to respond to them. As noted above, however, much work continues to be done in translating the New Testament, individual Gospels and other books of the Bible for evangelistic outreach in a great number of languages.

Stories of the transforming power of the Scriptures in people's lives pour in from around the world. One particularly inspiring example is a recent story from India of nagamma, an impoverished widow in her eighties, who, though deserted by her family and reduced to sweeping streets to keep herself alive, learned of God's love for her through New Reader Scriptures and found

in the life-renewing message of the Gospel the courage to adopt an abandoned baby she discovered one morning. "If God could spare his Son to save all people," she told a Bible worker, "why can't I spare the remaining years of my life to care for this discarded child?" The sharing of New Reader Scriptures with people like Nagamma is made possible by the support which the Southern Baptist Convention has given to the American Bible Society. Her story and others like it is a testimony to the effect of your Christian concern for spiritually needy men, women and children everywhere.

The Southern Baptist Convention was in indispensable partner in the worldwide Bible cause during 1985 and your expanded support is essential in the year ahead as we seek to extend this vital Scripture ministry to embrace all those throughout the world who are still eagerly awaiting God's Word.

Local Representative, (Mrs.) Howard Turnmire

PASTOR'S CONFERENCE

In reviewing the pastor's conference for the past year, there are many positive points which I see have been accomplished.

First, the fact that the conference exists is a very positive point and a great blessing to us as pastors. Sometimes I think a more appropriate title might be "Pastor's Fellowship". The atmosphere is always that of sharing. Sharing blessing, burdens, prayer requests and just being together.

Second, the good preaching we enjoy when we meet. God's word expounded is always a blessing, even to those who preach the word regularly to others. How refreshing it is to hear God's word from our preacher brethren.

Third, from time to time the conference hosts speakers from secular organizations which are working with churches on moral issues of our day.

Fourth, the conference receives an offering each month. The money is used in the purchase of flowers when death occurs, helping those who have experienced medical expenses or helping in any way when financial assistance is needed.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the pastors for the privilege of serving them as moderator for the past two years. I would like to thank brothers Bill Ballou and Gary Teague for their services as secretary-treasurer.

My prayer is that God will bless the new officers and the entire conference this coming year; brother Joe Riley Blevins as the newly elected moderator and brother Jack Miller as secretary-treasurer.

Pastors, let us support one another and fellowship at each conference this coming year. May God bless you and your work as we labor together.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Jimmy Warden

FOREIGN MISSION BOARD

1985 was aphenomenal year. Not only did more than 158,000 people come to know Christ and were baptized, but steps were taken in world evangelization that will open up greater opportunities for thousands of other people to hear about Him.

In the global consultation at Ridgecrest, as these international Baptist Leaders met as partners, we talked about reaching the world's people for Christ and about each group's resources and how we could use them to do what God asked us to do almost 2,000 years ago.

It wasn't just a meeting but something truly God-inspired. These men and women went back to their countries and shared their visions and started working out God's plan for their part in winning the world for Christ.

Then I visited the Soviet Union for the first time and saw how God is working His plan out there, too, even though for all practical purposes the Christians there have been isolated from the rest of the world's Christians. I experienced an openness, an excitement, a hope for the future of Christianity in that country and around the world.

I'm reminded of another of our beloved people - the people of China - and I'm overwhelmed at the possibility of Cooperative Services International, which was put in place this year to enable the use of Southern Baptists and their resources for work in China.

The complexities of our world, the sensitivites in different parts of the world, and the constant shifting of political and religious forces provide a never-ending challenge. Please pray

that the Lord will enable us together-us as Southern Baptists and this board as your channel to the world's people -- to respond to the challenges and opportunities that He is laying before us.

God so loved the world that He sent us to all the world's people. We are in the people business -- reaching out to people and bringing them to Jesus Christ. It is my prayer that we will thoughfully and wisely plan our efforts, honestly and sincerely keeping these people, the whole world, in view.

1985 AT A GLANCE

* An average of 435 persons baptized per day
*A record 429 missionaries appointed
* Overseas Baptists' membership topped 2 million
* A 10 percent increase in theological student enrollment
* Misson work opened in the 106th country
* An historic meeting among leaders of Baptist conventions who send missionaries
* Almost $12 million given for hunger and disaster relief
* 6,759 Southern Baptist volunteers went overseas
* A new channel for volunteer to work in China
* More than 20 million pieces of literature produced
* More than 1.5 million treated in hospitals and clinics
* More than 100 million saw Baptist TV programs and 133 million heard Baptist radio broadcasts

R. Keith Parks

Local representative, Linda Richardson

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Home Missions are a great force in our Southern Baptist Convention including over 3,000 men and women serving as mission personnel in all 50 of our states. American Samoa, Puerto Rico, the American Virgin Islands and Canada.

Home missions depends on the Financial support of committed Southern Baptist who sacrifically give through the cooperative program and the Annie Armstrong Easter Offerings for Home Missions.

Figures of offerings from the above organizations reach into the thousands of dollars which shows what has and can be done in terms of numbers, but the GOAL of Home Missions is to reach human beings and for them to be touched by Jesus through our efforts.

As stated, our purpose is to reach people and our vision is not limited or bound to particular areas, but to battered children in Chicago, teenage prostitutes walking the streats of Atlanta, the lonely people who are never visited by anyone or who never receive a message of love or hear from the outside world with a word of encouragement, the young mothers with children who have been deserted by a husband and not knowing where the next meal will come from and no lights or heat in the building. These and many more suffering human beings can and must be reached such as the drug addicts who roam the streets not knowing, many times, where and what a home is like.

Reaching these people is not an easy task, but a much needed missionary task that must be carried out. Time grows later each day and we must go forward in this mission work without a slowliness of heart of love in doing our duty as commanded by the greatest leader and example of love the world has ever known, Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs.) Lois Jones

STATE MISSIONS

When one thinks of North Carolina State Missions endeavors that seek to meet a wide variety of needs, all the way from language missions, chaplaincy, work with the blind and deaf, developing associational work to resort missions, to people on the go, you cannot help but remember the basis of it all; the love of Jesus and His commitment to ministry. Luke 4:16 and following tells of how Jesus identified Himself as the One God had sent "to heal the brokenhearted, preach deliverance to the captives" and so forth, and to understand this is to join hands in His ministry. When one accepts Christ as Saviour, he accepts a part of the responsibility for the world for which Christ died.

State Missions provides us with an opportunity for some pride but also lays down a great challenge to see what both the North Carolina Baptist Convention is doing through state missions to meet the spiritual needs of North Carolineans, and yet to see the great "gaps" in ministry among an increasingly pluralistic and changing state of more than six million people.

We are reminded of the words of Jesus in Luke when we think of the work with prisoners through seminary extension. All across North Carolina there are classes where some are being saved and a few are enve called to preach. Jerry Potter and Neal Peyton's work comes to mind in thinking about the deaf and blind. There are a variety of ways in which the "Acceptable Year of the Lord" is being preached through State Missions.

Changes in personnel needs should be noted. With George Shore becoming Associate in Program and Budgeting, Bobby Stafford has been given the responsibility for working with the Associational Development Department. Tom Lolley has become Area Missionary for Western North Carolina, replacing Jim Lambert who will be working as Associate for Minister Support.

Please remember in prayer the financial support the State Missions endeavors as well as other Cooperative Program costs. It is an important time and the only time we know we have. "Let us work while it is still yet day, for night cometh when no man can work."

Local representative, Mr. Don Goodman

AREA MISSIONS
Greetings to the 52 Churches of Ashe Association

Congratulations for 100 years of ministry to our Lord in the hills of North-western North Carolina. You have been a vital link in the work of North Carolina Baptist. I look forward to working with you in the days ahead. As you know, the Northwest and the Southwest areas have been combined into one area, Western North Carolina.

The task of the area missionary is to relate the Baptist State Convention to the churches and associations and to relate the needs and concerns of the churches and associations to the state convention. It is an exciting opportunity for me to serve along side your Director of Missions in equipping people for the work of ministry. My job description calls the area Missionary "the State Convention in residence." Often it is easier to relate to a person than a post office box in Cary.

It is my sincere desire to enter into the good work that Jim Lambert has developed in Northwest North Carolina. I hope you

will call on me. The telephone number is: 704-724-9476. The address is: P.O. Box 910, Old Fort, North Carolina 28762.

Again, my best wishes for Ashe Association as you enter your second century of ministry.

Tom E. Lolley, Area Missionary
Western, North Carolina

CENTENNIAL WMU REPORT TO ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

On January 8, 1886, the women started a Woman's Missionary Union. The first president was Fannie E. S. Heck. She served for 29 years. In 1886 they had 16 ladies.

Now, 1986 there are 10,474 organizations and 141,806 members. During the past year we have dwelt on the past 100 years of Woman's Missionary Union of North Carolina. We have engaged in 100 years of prayer, thanking God for the past. Asking him to help us in the future. In 1886 those ladies never dreamed people would still be talking about it today.

In 1925 the Ashe Association WMU had eight churches. Their mission offering for the year was $129.97. All dropped out except one.

We now have 16 churches that have WMU. 366 members with Baptist Women, Baptist Young Women, Acteens, GA's, and Mission Friends. We have 529 members. We have two ladies that have been WMU members for 52 years.

Respectfully submitted,
(Mrs.) Clemmie Wilcox
Centennial Chairperson

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

We of the Ashe Baptist Associaton wish to thank those who have made our 100th Annual Meeting a success.

Thanks to the Moderator and Vice-Moderator and all the various committees in their efforts in these sessions.

Thanks to all of you for the fine Christian spirit in which they were carried out.

Thanks to Brother Bill Ballou and Sister Jeannie McNeill for all their work through the year as well as during the annual sessions.

Thanks to both the State and Local leaders for the inspiring messages and reports.

Thanks to Midway and Trinity, also to Healing Springs and Welcome Home Baptist Churches for feeding us a delicious meal Friday and Saturday.

Thanks to Margaret Vance and the Associational Youth Choir for the wonderful singing.

Let us as the Ashe Baptist Associaton resolve by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to do all we can to further the Great Kingdom's work of God in the coming year in a Spirit of Christian Love and Unity.

Submitted by:
Jack Miller, Joe Blevins, Ervel Jones

THE TIME/PLACE/PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

The one hundred-first annual session of the Ashe Baptist Association will be held on Friday and Saturday, August 21-22, 1987. The Round Knob and Bald Mountain churches will host on Friday, August 21 at the Associational Campgrounds.

The Sturgills and Tuckerdale churches will host jointly on Saturday, August 22 at the Tuckerdale church.

The annual sermon will be delivered on Friday by Reverend Jack Pugh, pastor at Bald Mountain church.

Submitted by:
(Chm.) Rev. Ray Minton, Rev. Dean Watson, Mr. Ralph Jones

CAMPUS MINISTRIES

North Carolina Baptists have some form of ministry on forty-seven college or university campuses across the state. A growing number of churches are also finding creative and significant ways to minister with students.

The Convention employs eight persons with primary responsibility for ministry in a specific university setting. We join

with Baptist colleges in funding campus ministries in our seven schools, and we join other Christian groups in providing full-time ministers on two other campuses. In each of these settings our ministers work with student groups such as BSU, cooperate with university personnel in service to the institution, offer help to faculty and staff in personal and professional concerns and seek for ways of helping people on the campus work more closely with area churches.

During the 1985-86 school year students involved in Baptist Student Unions and on Baptist campuses pledged and raised about $50,000 for missions and ministry all around the world. A total of 150 collegians were trained in a week-long orientation period or a working under the direction of some department within the Baptist State convention. New programs included semester service in Associational and related ministries for a dozen students, a summer internship in ministry with the Baptist Joint Committee, and the sponsoring of a resource team of three students trained and utilized by youth ministers and Associational leaders across the state.

The first "graduates" of our unique Campus Ministry Associate in Missions and Ministry program in Charlotte, Joy and Chris Gamble, were appointed and are serving as student evangelists in Taiwan under our Foreign Mission Board. Mark and Stacey Pennington are the 1985-87 ministers in this program, which seeks to serve in Charlotte and prepare persons for careers in student ministry on the mission field.

Work with the volunteer ministries in several locations is continuing to develop as lay people, church staff members, college faculty persons and Associational staff lead out in the exciting ministry. Convention staff provides consultation and encouragement. This spring, five student leaders from these BSUs joined 13 others in a week of special training at the Sunday School Board. North Carolina's delegaton of 18 was the largest (and, we feel, outstanding) as students from across the nation were involved in this leadership program.

Special conferences for International students, campus evangelism training and Black Christian collegians were offered during the school year. Staff, volunteers and student leaders planned and guided these events. A conference for High School Seniors, a leadership conference and a fall Baptist Student Convention involved over a thousand young people in Christian growth and challenge to stewardship of life.

Teams of students from BSUs and Baptist campuses all across the state led worship, planned youth revivals, sang or ministered through puppetry or clowning in hundreds of North Carolina churches. Students, under the leadership of ministers employed by your Cooperative Program dollars are growing and sharing their faith in many ways because you care enough to provide Baptist Campus Ministry! On behalf of these who, in God's power, are our future, thank you!

Jim Greene

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

The Baptist system of free associations has very practical purposes. Its slogan is not united we stand but united we move. In the beginning of American Baptist cooperation, meetings of "messengers" from the churches were primarily for information, inspiration, and fellowship. Later, such emphasis has come to be placed upon practical activities. Rather than "annual meetings", the several units of organization-district association, state convention, Southern Baptist Convention, have conceived their functions as continuous instead of occasional. These functions gather about certain common concerns, the advancement of which calls for and calls out the cooperative endeavor of the associated churches. Among the most important of these conjoint interest may be listed the following:

Expansion: "from Jerusalem...unto the uttermost part of the earth". The missionary enterprise constitutes the most challenging of all purposes of cooperative activity among Baptist.

Promotion: Plans and purposes are not self-operating. Agreement having been reached as to what needs to be done, ways and means must be devised and responsibility localized.

Enlistment: The voluntary principle forbids the use of any force other than that of persuasion in securing support of the churches and their causes.

Enlightenment: The New Testament assumption is that intelligent Christians will do what is right when convinced that it is right.

Improvement: Churches in which the rulers are the ruled must give increasing attention to the need of continuous improvement, else they will tend to settle down on levels of mediocrity, "A rising tide lifts all ships", just as an outgoing tide lowers them.

Achievement: "By their fruits ye shall know them". This remains the supreme test of individual Christians or of churches working together. Not all results can be measured objectively, but tangible returns are highly important.

The prayer support and financial support of every church in the Ashe Association is vital if the Association is to carry out all common purposes of our body. Further, the attendance of the pastor or a representative of the church at all associational meetings gives credibility to those meetings in the eyes of the church members as well as the community. The old phrase, "it is ours, let's support it", is very appropriate.

Through our Assist Teams, our Executive Committee meetings, our Pastor's conferences, our many state level conferences, our local and regional clinics, our doctrinal studies, our joint evangelistic efforts, our Key Leadership conferences, and many other activities of our denomination we see all the concerns of our associaton going forward. Many times we forget that it is the efforts of the local associaton, its officers, and the Director of Missions that keeps all this work moving forward. The local Director of Missions and officers are like the foundation of a mighty building - you don't see them many times and sometimes even forget about them being there but it is their presence that supports the entire upper structure. If you are ever tempted to ask, "What does the local associaton do anyhow?", just look at all the programs of the Southern Baptist Convention and you have your answer.

In Ashe County God has blessed us with an outstanding association as well as a Director of Missions of equal quality. Many times we forget the scope of the work of our association and Brother Bill Ballou. As you read this report, let it be a motivator to you to tell Brother Bill how you appreciate the Ashe Baptist Associaton.

Respectfully submitted,
Homer Murdock

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

June 30, 1986 brought to a close another good year in the Ashe Baptist Association. Thank you for allowing me the freedom to go in and out among you and try to minister to some of your needs.

During this past associational year I have attended most all the Pastor's Conferences, the Executive Committee meetings, through the Ashe County Ministerial Conference I have been responsible for two weeks of Radio Meditations, served as Hospital Chaplain for two different weeks along with Rest Homes and Jail Ministry. I have worked with four pulpit committees, assisted in three ordinations, attended the regional Vacation Bible School Clinic, Key Leadership Conference at Ridgecrest, conducted associational clinics for both of these at later dates, on several occasions have spoken to those who attend the Elderly Nutritional Program both at Jefferson and Warrensville. Through the year I have attended several meetings for Directors of Missions at the Ridgecrest Conference Center, Camp Caraway, and Convention offices in Cary. During the associational year you have enabled me to attend the Southern Baptist Convention in Atlanta, Georgia, the Baptist State Convention in Greensboro and the Evangelism Conference also in Greensboro. During the associational year I performed eight wedding ceremonies, preached eight revivals, and assisted in sixty-one funerals. There were numerous other responsibilities and duties that claimed my attention that cannot be reported statistically. I do hope I have been of some help to those who called upon me.

This was the year of the "Good News Revivals" and we are so thankful for the wonderful results that God blessed us with.

During this associational year we were able to purchase a VCR and Monitor, as well as a 16mm Motion Picture Projector. This equipment is available to your church any time you have a need for it.

Please let me express my sincere appreciation to the fine men who serve as pastors to our fifty-two churches. Almost to a man they have been most cooperative and have been so willing to serve on various committees and in places of leadership on the associational level.

We look forward to this new year. I am grateful for the opportunity of working with such fine and cooperative pastors and dedicated lay people to be found anywhere. I thank God daily for

all of you and the opportunity to serve as your Director ofMissions. Please continue praying for your Association that God may use it to the fullest for His Glory.

Thank you for letting me be a part of God's Enterprize here in the Ashe Baptist Association. Use your associational office. It is yours and its here to serve you.

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Ballou
Director of Missions

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

I have lived most of my life in and around farming communities. There's nothing more refreshing than taking a drive in the spring during planting season. The air is sweet with freshly plowed ground. There is a sense of anticipation and hope--hope that this year will yield a bountiful harvest.

I can't help but think that is the way my predecessors thought about the Annuity Board. Sixty-eight years later I am privileged to see the bountiful harvest seeded from the careful thought, planning and service of dedicated men and women -- people who under the leadership of our Lord, have made the Board what it is today. We continue to grow by leaps and bounds each year. It is a testimony of greatness to our churches and denomination.

Last year was another banner year for us. While other financial organizations experienced hard times, we had an 18 percent growth rate.

Retirement plan contributions reached a record $114.9 million. The Lord blessed us with outstanding investment results. Investment income also reached an all-time high of $198 million.

Nearly 16,000 annuitants received more than $44 million in retirement benefits.

The Southern Baptist insurance programs produced a record $59.2 million in premium income, expanding this asset base to $87.3 million.

On the horizon, there are also some exciting new programs which we feel will benefit Southern Baptists for years to come.

Last year our churches began adopting the expanded Church Annuity Plan. I believe this is one of the most important programs ever instituted by Southern Baptists. This plan could double our mission enterprise. It will enable our mission enterprise. It will enable thousands of our retired ministers and church workers to serve as mission volunteers. Financial restraints prevent most retirees from doing this now.

The expanded Church Annuity Plan is a symbol of the strengthening cooperation between the churches and state conventions. By adopting the plan as a part of policy, churches assume the responsibility of taking care of those who have served the Lord in their congregations. When the churches adopt this plan, the state conventions pledge to make contributions on behalf of these servants. This cooperative effort will make a dramatic difference in the retirement income of Southern Baptist annuitants.

Another benefit we added in 1985 is the Mail Service Prescription Drug Program. I am already receiving thank-you notes by the dozens regarding this plan. One pastor told me he saved enough money using the new maintenance medication plan to pay for his annual medical premiums.

In December 1985, the U.S. House of Representatives passed its version of the tax reform bill as requested by President Reagan. That bill, H.R. 3838, contains several provisions which threaten to have significant and adverse impact on the Annuity Board and on employers, ministers and employees within the Southern Baptist convention. We are continuing our efforts with the Church Alliance, a coalition of chief executives working on behalf of the church pension plans of 29 mainline religious denominations, to make sure that the provisions in the final version of the tax reform bill will not be adverse to the Board and those we serve.

All indicators point to another successful year in 1986. We believe the plans we are making now will yield another bountiful harvest for those who come after us.

In closing, allow me to say something about this annual report. We have designed it especially for the reader. The report is in a simpler format with brief articles about the various programs that, I trust, you will find interesting and informative.

Darold H. Morgan
Local Representative,
Rev. Ervel Jones

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM REPORT

For the past six years Southern Baptists have faced the greatest challenge ever faced by the followers of Christ. This challenge is that by the year 2000 only fourteen years from now, all people on this planet, five billion of them will have been able to hear the blessed story of Jesus, Our Lord.

You and I may not devote our lives directly to this task. But we can help support over six thousand missionaries who at the present time are devoting their lives to this task. By our contributions through our churches, we, too, are able to show our devotion to this cause.

In the chart below we can see how we have increased our support of missions over the years. You can see a steady increase year by year.

Let us strive to reach a higher percentage. Our mission board suggests that we increase our giving by at least 10% over the next 14 years.

I would like to call your attention to the fact that our collection plate dollars has passed the one million dollar mark for the past two years.

I am sure that a felling of pride must swell in your heart where you think we are associated with a million dollar enterprise - and that the Chairman of the Board is none other than our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

The Bible tells us that we are heirs and joint heirs with Jesus Christ.

Paul says, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthen me".

OUR RECORD FOR COOPERATIVE PROGRAM GIVING FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS:

1980	TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED	COOP-PROGRAM GIFTS	PERCENTAGE
1980	$ 835,901	$36,919	4.3%
1981	$ 846,762	$39,174	4.6%
1982	$ 929,444	$32,413	3.5%
1983	$ 974,860	$37,429	3.8%
1984	$1,079,958	$38,876	3.6%
1985	$1,084,926	$47,783	4.4%

There we are able to see our giving climb a few percentage points each year. This causes our hearts to rejoice. In the year 1984, this idea, that seemed impossible, happened. The good Baptists of our county gave over one million dollars and 3.6% of that $38,876 went to the Cooperative Program.

Again this past year you will notice that the upward trend continues with $1,084,926 with $47,783 going to the Cooperative Program which was a percentage rate of 4.4%.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. A. D. Goodman

ASSOCIATIONAL STEWARDSHIP

In our Associational Key Leadership Conference, 12 church leaders representing 7 churches participated in the stewardship group. During the coming year there will be conferences planned for our association. All the churches need to consider getting involved in one or more of the stewardship programs available to them through our convention. Consider,MINISTRY-ACTION BUDGETING, PLANNED GROWTH IN GIVING, or a CHRISTIAN MONEY MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE for your church this year. Information on these and other stewardship programs are available from your Associational Office or Associational Stewardship Director. A Christian Money Management Conference is planned for the association this year. Let me encourage every church in our association to elect a Church Stewardship Chairman who will be responsible for stewardship education, mission support, budget development, budget administration, giving emphases, and accounting for church finances. He or she may need one or more to help them.

Remember, just as members have the right to raise questions and receive information about all church business, they have the right to grow. Each member should be expected and challenged to grow in his Christian life. This growth must include Christian stewardship, life style, and giving. It has been well said, "the church belongs to Christ. The people to Christ, to each other and to the mission of the church".

Prayerfully submitted,
Homer Murdock

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST COLLEGE REPORT — 1985
Campbell — Chowan — Gardner-Webb — Mars Hill
1871 1848 1905 1856
Meredith — Wake Forest — Wingate
1891 1834 1895

North Carolina is a recognized leader in Christian higher education. Baptists have established and supported seven colleges for a cumulative total of 786 years. Leaders who formed the Baptist State Convention in 1830 did so with founding a college in mind. Baptists and their colleges have grown up together in North Carolina. The histories of the Convention, the churches and the colleges are inseparable intertwined.

The "roll call" of colleges, and a brief mention of current items of interest and concern, are listed for the benefit of the associations:

Campbell - During 1986, there is a special observance of the centennial year, using as a theme "A Century of Vison and Service." The new School of Pharmacy will open in the fall, and a School of Education has been established for graduate studies. Programs are offered in Goldsboro, Rocky Mount, Raleigh, Fort Bragg, Sanford, and in Wales and Malaysia.

Chowan - Enjoys a national reputation as a two year institution of high quality. President Bruce E. Whitaker was recently named as one of the 17 most effective chief college administrators in the nation. Chowan is engaged in a four million dollar campaign for additional student aid, scholarship assistance and program support.

Gardner-Webb - On May 31, 1986, Dr. Craven E. Williams completed his tenure as president, begun in July, 1976. On June 1, Dr. M. Christopher White, Vice President of Elon College, became the 10th president of Gardner-Webb. Included in its many educational programs are assistance for deaf and blind students who wish to earn a college degree.

Mars Hill - A comprehensive revison of the General Studies curriculum, to be implemented in the fall of 1987, includes statements of convictions by the faculty. Included in these are the centrality of Christian faith, morals and purposeful life, responsible citizenship and value of work. Scholarships to attract superior students continues to be a major emphasis.

Meredith - ''thorough instruction'' and ''culture made perfect through the religion of Jesus Christ'' are central to the college mission. Extensive studies during 1986 resulted in a reaffirmation of Meredith's commitment to education for women in both undergraduate and graduate programs. Construction of the Gaddy-Hamrick Art Center was begun in June.

Wake Forest - Conversations continue between Convention leaders and university trustees to clarify the basis for a continuing relationship. Founded in 1834 by North Carolina Baptists, Wake Forest is acknowledged as a superior university among church-related schools in the nation.

Wingate - Looking toward its one hundreth anniversary in 1995, the college has entered a 10-year, 30 million dollar ''Second Century: Vision for Excellence'' campaign. Numerous building, renovation and beautification projects are planned, in additon to library expansion, faculty support and student financial aid.

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BAPTIST STUDENTS AND BAPTIST COLLEGES
BELONG TOGETHER

FRUITLAND BAPTIST BIBLE INSTITUTE ANNUAL REPORT, 1986

Since 1897 there has been Baptist education activities on the Fruitland campus. Since 1946 the Baptist State Convention has owned and operated Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute. About one hundred forty students are enrolled for each quarter. The total program can be completed in eight quarters. The school operates year round with a new quarter beginning the first Tuesday in January, April, July and October.

There are twenty-five faculty members who were elected by the Executive Committee of the Baptist State Convention. They are all highly trained and thoroughly experienced. The quality of the work is under constant evaluation with good reports. The school now offers the regular diploma for eight quarters of work and the Advanced Diploma for all graduates who will complet the additional sixteen seminars.

It is estimated that about fifteen hundred graduates are serving churches in North Carolina and surrounding states. Some are serving as State, Home and Foreign Missionaries.

The financial support of Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute comes through the Cooperative Program, North Carolina Missions Offering, student fees and direct gifts by churches and friends of Fruitland.

For more information, write President Alex L. Booth, Jr., Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute, Hendersonville, North Carolina 28739-9222; or call (704) 685-8886.

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES' ANNUAL REPORT

The Centennial Year for the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina was concluded with an exciting, informative and inspiring day on November 11, 1985. The exciting words of Dr. Blackwell, in behalf of our staff, children and trustees, renewed the commitment to continue fulfilling the mission and broad purpose of this child care ministry. Those words still ring in the ears of those present for this occasion.

The mission is to care for dependent; neglected, homeless and troubled children; unwed mothers and their children; and the rendering of related services to the relatives. Services are directed toward the preservation, conservation and rehabilitation of families to avoid, wherever possible, the placement of the child away from home.

In our one hundredth and first year of child care, more than 1,500 children were served. From this group of children/youth, many had no religious affiliation when admitted to our care. Our pastors baptized more than twenty-five youth into the fellowship of the local church.

The New Homes & Hospital Offering, approved by the Convention last November, claimed the attention of our staff during the first five months of 1986. The offering was received in May with fifty percent of that which was received going to the Children's Homes, twenty-five percent to the Hospital and twenty-five percent to the Retirement Homes. The goal was $1.6 million. We encourage you to help promote the new offering in your church during May 1987.

Update/Hickory-Lenoir Area

The Hickory-Lenoir Family Services Area office is located at 828 9th Avenue, N.E. in Hickory. From this office Iredell, Catawba, Caldwell, Burke, Alexander, Alleghany, Ashe, Wilkes, Watauga, Surry and Yadkin counties are served. Through the area office, applications for all Baptist Children's Homes' services are received and processed.

Referrals to Baptist Children's Homes may be made by anyone. However, it is only at the request of the legal custodian that application can be made and services received.

Local churches and associations continue to be supportive of the work of Baptist Children's Homes. We deeply appreciate the words of encouragement and the prayers which continue to come our way.

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Mrs. Tammy Parunak
Local Representative

BAPTIST HOSPITAL
Report to the Association - 1986

During the past year, Baptist Hospital admitted 23,535 patients for a total of 195,243 days of patient care. These patients came from all across North Carolina, from 31 other states and the District of Columbia. 8 patients came from outside the United States. An additional 252,043 ambulatory patients were seen in the outpatient clinics and the emergency department.

These people came to Baptist Hospital because it has the medical expertise and the technical equipment required to provide the tertiary health care they needed. For example, Baptist Hospital surgeons successfully removed a relatively rare tumor from the interior surface of a woman's heart. Plastic surgeons were able to remove scar tissue and restore hair growth for a child who lost 40% of her hair-bearing scalp in a kitchen fire. Around-the-clock efforts of surgeons saved the lives of 9 young people who drank potassium hydroxide (lye) thinking it was wine.

Carbon dioxide laser is now being used to treat some cases of early cancer of vocal cords, usually leaving patients with norman or near normal speech. Four types of lasers are used in treating problems of the eye.

A new lithotripter uses high energy shock waves to break up large kidney stones. This alternative to surgery saves money, pain and recovery time for many patients. Most patients can be discharged the day after treatment and can return to work within a week after therapy.

During the past year, the medical center has begun an emergency helicopter service to transport victims of trauma to the hospital more rapidly and also to transfer patients from one hospital to another. The helicopter not only provides faster transportation but is equipped and staffed to provide emergency care for patients while they are in transit.

the School of Pastoral Care continues its outreach through its satellite centers in Fayetteville, Morganton and Charlotte with opportunities also in other communities such as North Wilkesboro, Lenoir, Asheville and Rockingham. (The Raleigh Center has become independent.) These centers, together with the one in Winston-Salem, provided 24,533 hours of counseling during the past year. Chaplains in the hospital made 56,460 visits with patients, families and employees. The School of Pastoral Care provided clinical pastoral education to 694 ministers and trainees through a total of 71 CPE programs.

The medical center's $150 million facilities expansion program is on schedule and within budget. New facilities will include a new patient tower, a new clinical services building, an addition to the research facilities and a building to house the magnetic resonance imaging scanner.

During the past fiscal year, Baptist churches of North Carolina gave $566,307 through the Cooperative Program and $374,238 through the North Carolina Missions Offering. These gifts help make possible two of the distinctive ministries of the hospital: pastoral care and benevolent care. For these, the staff and the patients are most grateful to North Carolina Baptists.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Jerry Burleson

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION

The purpose and objective of the Baptist Foundation has been, from the date of its incorporation and by the terms of its charter, to assist individual Baptists to find ways of continuing their support of all Baptist causes - institutions, agencies, mission causes - with estate and deferred gifts. As a result, trust funds are now administered which benefit local churches, associations, specific mission objects and offerings, and every agency, school, and institution supported by Baptists.

In 1985, North Carolina Baptists placed over one million dollars in new trust agreements with the Foundation, making provision for the perpetual support of practically every Baptist cause. Endowment of Cooperative Program was a primary trust designation.

It is now possible through the Foundation for each Baptist to "Give it Twice", once to family, then to Kingdom causes. Through properly constructed trusts and wills, family members and friends can receive from one's estate, over a period of years, an amount exactly equal to, or even greater than the estate portion they would normally receive through an ordinary estate distribution. With the "Give it Twice" plan, after the family receives their portion, the entire estate principal is still intact, with the income from the entire estate available for Christian causes - forever. If giving is exciting for the Christian, giving it twice is surely twice as exciting!

An indirect, but profound benefit of Foundation services to the local church has been the enhancement of individual stewardship growth and commitment. In nearly every instance, those who elect to commit to Kingdom use a portion of their estate assets, are during their lifetime more committed stewards. They enjoy their giving, and this happy, conscious stewardship dedication must be a profit for the church.

The Foundations seeks to inform Baptist people of:

1. Their responsibility as stewards to make provision for the future use of their resources.
2. The critical need experienced by all Baptist causes for endowment support - the ongoing, assured support of those who support them now.
3. Ways by which these realities may be met and accomplished.

4. Counsel in wise decisions for endowing any Baptist cause - for instance, the foundation may discourage a trust for a cemetery fund if the church already receives more funds than are needed to maintain that cemetery.

Specifically, the local church may be benefitted in these ways:
1. Members are encouraged to name local church in their wills. A per cent of the estate is usually preferred, rather than a dollar amount.
2. The church may receive real estate in a Life Estate agreement. The individual deeds to the church certain property, or a portion of such property, maintaining all rights and responsibilities to it for life or for a designated period, and then the property becomes that of the church.
3. Appreciated property and securities, "E" bonds, church bonds, bank shares, and nearly any property of value can be transferred into a trust which can benefit the individual and the church - now or at a future date.
4. The Foundation assists churches in establishing their own endowment, memorials, or Planned Giving committees, then works with the committee to promote estate stewardship among the people. The Foundation can - and does - serve as fiscal agent, managing the memorial funds, etc. received as a result of church committee's efforts, and then distributes the income back to the church or other designated beneficiaries.
5. Local churches are now investing special funds which they hold for some future cause, with the Foundation for loans to new church, to associations to purchase property for new churches, etc. These may be long-term or short-term loans, and each is handled on an individual basis. The local church receives a fair return on its funds while enjoying the knowledge they have made funds available to struggling congregation who is engaged in the same "calling" as they - preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
6. Local churches, or specific programs of local churches, may be named beneficiary and owner of insurance policies, or the church may be named co-beneficiary, secondary beneficiary, remainder beneficiary, residual beneficiary, or even dividends may be assigned to the church. Tax consequences may accrue to the donor in each case.
7. Churches now receive trust income from individual trusts administered by the Foundation for:

— cemetery maintenance
— help pay current building debt
—for future construction of activities building or sanctuary
— for capital improvements
— for senior adult ministry
— for youth summer mission programs
— for homebound and tape ministry
— for benevolent committee which meets local and community needs
— sanctuary flowers
— for its outreach in missions, special offerings, Children's
— Homes
— for specific items of general grounds and building maintenance
— for its contributions through Cooperative Program
— for scholarship grants and loans

In summary, every cause the church promotes and supports can be endowed for perpetual and "forever" support. The Foundation's role is to help the church, church members, and congregations find the best ways to do so.

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

In Woman's Missionary Union, Southern Baptist Convention, goals are being set to reach women, girls, and pre-schoolers to be involved in quality missions education by 1988.

The theme VISION 88 has been chosen as a national theme. The word VISION implies a goal, target, dream, something to work for. The 88 indicated the date by which Baptist Women hope to achieve this goal, Since 1988 is the centennial year for WMU, SBC.

This year WMU in North Carolina celebrated 100 years since the Woman's Central Committee of Missions for North Carolina met in Raleigh to organize "The women of NC for united work for missions" on January 8, 1886.

Today this same organization which later became known as North Carolina Woman's Missionary Union has 10,474 organizations with 141,806 members in Mission Friends, GA's, Acteens, Baptist Young Women and Baptist Women.

While the numbers have grown the purposes have remained the same.

This vital missionary force works today to teach missions, not to a few but to the entire church. It promotes giving through the Cooperative Program and special offerings. It's members pray earnestly for missions and missionaries around the world. Then, as now, involvement in ministry and witness is a significant part of the WMU program.

Across the country Baptist Women are responsible for raising $70 million a year for the Foreign Mission Board of the SBC through the Lottie Moon Christmas offering. In the last two years, North Carolina WMU provided more than $20 million for foreign and home missions.

The Crux of the missions program in WMU is giving. Baptist women are givers because we are receivers of God's love, and grace, and mercy in such abundance.

Woman's Missionary Union stands on the threshold of our second 100 years of WMU in North Carolina. It has been enlightening and thrilling as we dug deep in our rich history to lead us so faithfully. It is a milestone we will reflect upon often. But we can no longer enjoy the luxury of revealing in the past. Just as surely as God called Fanny E. S. Hick and Sally Baily Jones to thier mission, God has called women of North Carolina today to get their direction from Him. We must get excited about what God is going to continue to do through the women in North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention for the cause of Missions as we get involved in the next 100 years. "We are laborers together with God". (1 Cor. 3:9)

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Irene (Dewey) Campbell

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

The morals of people around the world continue to decline at a rapid pace, especially here in America. There are thousands of people living together that are not married, having children. 52% of all marriages are ending in divorce, mostly due to adultry (which causes more human suffering than anything on this earth).

Drugs that continue to be used by adults and teenagers are also at a rapid pace, that causes a lot of premature deaths, crippling of minds and limbs, not counting the killings and stealing to support their habits.

Alcohol: in Beer, Wine, and Liquor causes thousands to die on our highways and roads each year throughout the United States. Alcohol causes homes to be destroyed, children abused and left without a mother or father.

Pornography is at its worst in America, through magazines and films. Our TV cables carry such Smut and Filth to our homes on such channels, even here in Ashe County. Did you know that North Carolina is called the Smut Capital of America? What do you think that causes so many Sex Crimes in America?

Lottery: is a new thing for North Carolina, it is a vice, it will be put before the Citizens of this state in the near future. Do you want legalized gambling in our state and country?

Do we as Christian adults not care for our youth, which is the church of the future.

Christian: stand up for Christ, fight with all of your Faith, help stomp out these things that causes people to perish, As Apostle Paul said in Phil. chapter 1 verse 21, "For me to live is Christ, For me to die is gain".

Respectfully submitted,
Jim Lambert

SUNDAY SCHOOL

From 8.5 in '85 to Challenge 10/90, the Sunday School continues to be an exciting way of reaching and teaching people about the Lord and His greatness.

From Good News America Revivals, our churches have found many new prospects. May I encourage you to continue trying to reach these people for Bible School Study in your Sunday Schools.

With the Bible and the best Sunday School materials available, there is no reason for us not to have exciting, growing Sunday Schools.

May God bless you in your work and thanks for the opportunity to serve you.

In Christ,
Rev. John Leek

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

Helping churches and individuals to grow is the main focus of our Southern Baptist materials. We have opportunity in our local churches to pick from numerous leadership guidance materials, books, supplies and lesson courses. Our Sunday School and Church Training materials are second to none in terms of solid education and developmental priniciples. The Philosophy of the Curriculum may be summed up in four statements:

1. Based on the Bible
2. Designed to meet needs of persons
3. Penetrates and underguides the total church program
4. Appropriately relates method to content

I suggest you use the 1986-87 church materials catalog to find the appropriate materials for your individual needs.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. John Leek

THE CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMISSION OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION

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Foy Valentine, Executive Director

The Christian Life Commission is grateful for another year marked by significant gains in several areas of its ministry on behalf of Southern Baptists. A wide range of program activities have helped Baptists practice Christian ethics in family life, race relations, citizenship, daily work, and numerous moral concerns. The agency has had many opportunities to work with other Southern Baptist agencies, thereby increasing its usefulness to Southern Baptist churches and people.

A close and effective working relationship has been maintained with Christian Life Committees in associations and in local churches. Christian Life Committees in churches now number a record 1,525. Working relationships with state Baptist conventions have been strengthened. This includes state conventions with full-time workers with state Christian Life Commissions (or the equivalent) and others with active Christian Life Committees without full-time paid workers.

The Commission has provided support materials for special emphasis days related to ethics on the Southern Baptist calendar. Bible-based themes, articles, and art work accompany the copy related to sanctity of human life, race relations, Christian citizenship, peace with justice, and world hunger.

A national seminar dealt with "Applying the Gospel in the Local Church," in 1985 and on "Recovering Moral Values" in 1986. Other conferences related to applied Christianity dealt with topics such as moral problems and youth, gambling, hunger, apartheid, and peace with justice while still other conferences focused on training and strategy.

The cause of applied Christianity was expanded through the production and distribution of literature, study guides, audio and videotapes, and other resources. A new "Help for Families" series included four new videotapes and fifteen new or up-dated pamphlets. The new videotapes deal with pornography, divorce, television, and changing roles in marriage.

The Christian Life Commission has the primary responsibility for education and action related to hunger. Wide distribution of the 1985-1986 Hunger Awareness/Action Guide help Southern Baptists to reach a new high in their gifts for hunger relief. Hunger gifts for 1985 totaled $11,830,146. The Foreign Mission Board received $10,625,897 for hunger ministries abroad and $1,204,249 went to the Home Mission Board for domestic hunger.

The Commission's primary publication in support of applied Christianity is LIGHT. During the past year circulation topped 18,000, and there has been exceptionally good response and support from a wide cross-section of LIGHT readers.

In reviewing the past year, the Christian Life Commission is encouraged and faces the future with faith, hope, and renewed commitment.

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

The Christian Action League is a voluntary organization composed of Christians and concerned citizens brought together to oppose those distructive influences in society which contribute to the low level of public morality existing today. The league is dedicated to strengthening laws against gambling, alcohol, drugs and commercialized vice in its many forms, while emph-

zing the basic importance of spiritural and moral values to the development and growth of the individual, the local community and the nation as a whole.

We pride ourselves on the many freedoms we enjoy and we thank God for our Liberty. Yet, at least 26,000,000 Americans have lost their freedom to alcohol. Millions more are enslaved to Marijuana, Cocaine, LSD, etc. The league is working hard to educate the public to the dangers of alcohol and drugs.

Beverage alcohol is today the chief cause of poverty, broken homes, juvenile deliquency, vice, crime, child abuse and highway accidents. Statistics indicate that 400,000 deaths yearly are directly related to the consumption of alcohol. Alcohol is now the drug of choice among teenagers and its abuse in that group is reaching epidemic proportions. The leading cause of death among adolescents is alcohol related accidents. Alcohol related injuries are exacting a heavy financial burden on the American taxpayers, while the cost - human terms is incalculable. For these reasons, the league strongly opposes all efforts to legalize the sale of alcoholic beverages in Ashe County.

League objectives for the coming year include the following:

1. To oppose a state-wide lottery
2. To support strengthening laws agains pornography and obscene literature
3. To eliminate beer and wine advertising from radio and television
4. To support additional beverage alcohol taxes to pay for new highway construction

The primary goal for 1986-1987 is to defeat the local sale of beer and wine through a ballot referendum in West Jefferson. To obtain this goal we need the active cooperation of all those individuals who wish to promote Christian values and morals in our community.

We invite all like-minded citizens to join us in furthering the cause of civic and social righteousness and promoting the highest standards of Christian morality in the lives of our people.

Respectfully submitted,
Mr. Delmas Parker

EVANGELISM REPORT

The 40th Statewide Evangelism Conference was held in Greensboro coliseum, February 3-4. Dr. George Harris, Dr. Frank Crumpler, Dr. Leonard Sanderson and Dr. Jim Henry brought the messages. Dr. Larry Black led the music for the conference, assisted by Clyde Cranford and Jenny McLemore.

Again this year the Student Evangelism Team, "Witness", served in churches across North Carolina. Everywhere they ministered, people were richly blessed.

This year in conjunction with Sunday School and Church Training, we also sponsored a conference on "Training Sunday School Workers in Evangelism" prior to the Statewide Evangelism conference.

The Big news in evangelism this year is the Good News America, Good Loves You Revivals. North Carolina Baptist churches reported the largest number of people attending the revival services that could be remembered in any revival. The Bible distribution located many lost persons.

Good News revivals received praise from churches other than Baptist denominations. They say the "ads" for Good News America increased their attendance...

In closing, let me share the local results of Good News America. Twenty-three churches in our association participated in Good News America. 2,490 New Testaments were distributed , 39 professions of faith, 537 rededications, 65 additions and 31 transfers. In addition to these statistics, an overall report from all our churches show a total of 151 baptisms.

May we praise the Lord for each precious soul who came to know Him this past year. Let us also pray for all who lead our evangelistic efforts this coming year.

Respectfully submitted,
Jimmy Warden, Chairman

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

In a year that has been marked by tragedy, stress and disappointment, the people of God who call themselves North Carolina Baptists continue to witness and minister to our ever growing and changing state. The Biblical Recorder is a vital

part of that Baptist family and as the official news journal of the denomination, it has enjoyed a stable and wholesome year of ministry at the side of hundreds of thousands of our people.

Readership of the paper is high. Comments, letters and other communications with the Recorder indicated Baptists read the paper and depend upon it for correct and vital information about the word we do together. That was the purpose of the paper when it was founded in 1833 and it remains a more important ministry now than even then.

Tar Heel Baptists are on the threshold of the greatest opportunity we have ever been given by God for witness and ministry in our state. That does not mean it will be easy. The minority status of christians -- fewer persons in North Carolina are members of any church than are not -- and the rising spirit of secularism make our task more difficult but at the same time much more imperative than ever. We must not fail.

Well-informed Baptists are more effective Baptists. The Recorder welcomes its assignment in the task of sharing the Good News of Christ. This year, we had a tremendous opportunity through the "Good News America, God Loves You" revivals and the paper was on the job, promoting and reporting on the crusades. As always, the Recorder will seek to inform, indoctrinate, enlist, inspire and provide a forum for Baptist thought and action as we work together to achieve God's purpose for us.

Despite a tremendous increase ($96,000) in the cost of second-class postage during 1986, subscription rates will not be raised for the fifth consecutive year. Many of the other major state Baptist papers such as the Recorder have already found it necessary to raise their rates, but the directors of our paper have been working with the editor to find a way to avoid any increase so that our churches and individuals can continue to get the paper at the lowest possible cost.

The rates are: Church Budget Plan, $5.00 per subscription for every resident family; Club Plan (four or more), $6.00; and Individuals, $7.00. If your church does not have the Every Family Plan, special introductory offers are available. Please contact:

The Biblical Recorder
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Let us pray and work together for the advancement of Christ s Kingdom as never before. Thank you for your support.

(Mrs.) Linda Eller
Associational Representative

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT
Churches Which Have Reported Are:

1. Bald Mountain
2. Beaver Creek
3. Bethel
4. Big Flatts
5. Bristol
6. Buffalo
7. Fletcher Memorial
8. Friendly Grove
9. Friendship
10. Grassy Creek
11. Healing Springs
12. Landmark
13. Laurel Knob
14. Little Helton
15. Midway
16. Mission Home
17. New River
18. North Beaver
19. Obids
20. Old Fields
21. Orion
22. Phoenix
23. Pleasant Home
24. Round Knob
25. Trinity
26. Wagoner
27. Warrensville
28. Welcome Home
29. West Jefferson First

Number of Schools Reported	29
Final Enrollment for Churches Reporting	1947
Average Attendance for 29 Churches Reporting	1736
No. of Preschoolers Enrolled (Birth-5 yrs.)	304
No. of Children Enrolled (6-11 yrs.)	623
No. of Youth Enrolled (12-17 yrs.)	342
No. Enrolled in Adult Dept. if held	554
No. of Professions of Faith	33
No. Rededications	6
No. Pupils not in any Sunday School	231
No. Parents not in any Sunday School	259
Cost of Curriculum Materials	$5,230.00
All other VBS Expenses	3,007.00
VBS Missions Offering through Cooperative Program	2,732.56

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Ballou,
Assn. VBS Director

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES

In recognition of the increased proportion of adults now 65 or older, the Baptist Retirement Homes of N.C., Inc., has sought to create a broader awareness of its services across the state. Implementing state-of-the-art communication techniques through use of the Biblical Recorder, local newspapers and direct contacts, the Homes is effectively making itself known to greater numbers of Senior Adults and to a concerned and responsive denominational community.

The leadership of the Baptist Retirement Homes is addressing major changes which suggest a need for an adjustment of services. The sheer size of the Senior Adult population in the next decade is expected to require a significant expansion of existing services. Already consideration is being given to the construction of Continuing Care communities in Asheville and Charlotte and to the renovation of the campus in Winston-Salem.

With extended longevity, the Baptist Retirement Homes anticipates ministering to Senior Adults who will live longer and healthier lives. More choices need to be available to these individuals as they experience added years of activity. Planning has begun to move beyond the standard services now available to consider additonal possibilities such as home delivery of health services.

Under the focused and energetic leadership of Bill Stillerman, President of the Homes since November, 1985, the fine tradition initiated by past Presidents will continue. Yet, the Trustees and Administrative Staff of the Baptist Retirement Homes believe the participation of North Carolina Baptists to be critical for the successful growth of the Homes. By remaining sensitive to retirement care issues and by staying informed and supportive of services offered by the Retirement Homes, North Carolina Baptists can help assure a system of services adequate to the growing demand.

Respectfully submitted,
Carolyn Bunting
Assistant to the President for Admissions

Rev. John F. Goodman
Local Representative

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC REPORT

Again, we have had a good year musically, in our association. According to the statistics from the convention, Ashe Association has involved more of our church members in the various music programs of the church and we have more music directors for choirs and more music programs reporting. This is a significant step for our Association.

We have had groups participate in music functions on the state level and we have had our state people in our Association for various programs. We are fortunate to have such fine, capable leadership as we have in our state office.

One of the programs instituted in Ashe Association this year is the Associational Youth Choir. This is compraised of young people between the ages of 12 and 17. So far we have 16 young ladies who are participating on a regular basis. We would like to have more youth involved with this program since it gives those who do not have an active youth choir an opportunity to sing with a group. The choir also gives the youth of our respective churches a chance to get to know each other on a more personal level. In the future this group will be performing, touring, and singing at all churches where an invitation is given. Please let us come and be a part of your Sunday evening service some time. We are also in need of financial backing. The Associational office has graciously offered to help us with the purchase of music, however, we fell that matching outfits would add a lot to the appearance of the group. As you probably already know, clothes of any kind are expensive and these outfits are no exception. We would greatly appreciate any contribution that would help defray the costs of these outfits. The Approximate cost is around $50.00 for each young lady. Please support the youth of the association in this effort.

Remembering all that we do is solely for the Glory of God.

Yours in Christ,
Margaret Hutcherson-Vance

ASSOCIATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

God has blessed us with another good year. The Executive Committee has been able to meet every scheduled meeting and has dealt with all business, we believe, under the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

We have been able to meet our budget needs for operation purposes but we still owe 1,250.00 on the loan we took to pay for the repairs on the associational parsonage.

The Executive Committee asks for your continued prayers and ask that you encourage your pastor and committee member to attend the meetings. We feel we can do a greater job of spreading the Gospel if we work together.

The committee would like to thank Brother Bill Ballou, the churches of the associaton, and each one for their Christian work and support of the association and its work.

In the coming year, as each member supports the association in whatever way they can, let us pray that it all will be done in honor to God and for the up-building of His Kingdom.

Respectfully submitted,
Kyle Ball, Chairman
Executive Committee

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

Pastors, Leaders, and Laypersons can continue their Christian education in the Ashe Baptist Association through Seminary Extension.

In our association last year, we scheduled two courses. One for the pastors, "pastors as Counselors," and one for anyone, "Christian Ethics." We had to cancel both courses due to lack of response. We had several men to travel to Boone to the hospital to take a course on "Hospital Chaplain."

We very much need your help in supporting the Seminary Extension Program, both in taking the courses and promoting them in your church.

Our Advisory Board would very much like to hear from you as to what course and the place where you would like to have a class. Please contact any of them. They are: Rev. Gary Teague,

Seminary Extension Director, Rev. Bill Ballou, Rev. Herbert Parunak, Rev. Jack Pugh, Rev. Jerry Burleson, Rev. Ken Morris.

Please let us know how we can help you and your church.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Gary Teague

ASHE BAPTIST CAMP

As we look back over the past year, God has richly blessed us all. We thank God that our association has a camp where churches can get together for fellowship, picnics, games, etc. The camp is also a good place to take the youth for an evening or a week-end.

The camp is usually heavily booked each Summer, but if your church has not used the camp and you wish to do so, call the associational office and have it reserved for your church group.

The camp is debt free at this time. The Camp Committee wishes to thank each church and each individual for their prayerful and financial support.

During the past year the Mattie Parsons Memorial Building has been totally insulated and electric heat installed making it usable year round. Additional improvements include the setting of shrubbery on the banks near the building just as soon as we get some rain. Planned for the winter months is the installation of floor covering for the basement sleeping quarters and bathrooms. Also in the basement will be the installation of celetex overhead.

We the committee asks that you continue your prayerful and financial support of the camp. God has blessed and God will continue to bless.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jerry South Chm.

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

"And they continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers...Prasing God, and having favour with all the people. And the Lord added

to the church daily such as should be saved Acts 2:42,47.

The apostles of Jesus recognized the need to disciple the new Christians that God was adding to the Jerusalem church. The apostles developed an educational design in which they led the new converts through the teaching of Jesus.

The writing of Paul reflect a developing theology. He frequently dealt with subjects related to theology, ethics, polity, evangelism, stewardship, and missions. All of these teachings are necessary if we intend to fulfill Jesus's commission. "Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you" (Matthew 28:20).

Church Training curriculum is developed around Christian decipleship and personal ministry, theology, ethics, church polity, and church history. The materials are designed to achieve both personal and corporate growth. The writers and editors develop this material around four basic criteria: The teachings must come directly from the Bible.

1. The authority of the Scripture in the church is direct and absolute.
2. The curriculum should be warm and person-centered.
3. The curriculum is to be practical. Only a curriculum that is Bible-based and centered in life can be dynamic.
4. The curriculum is sequential. The Church Training Department looks at the whole year as a course built around one general theme.

As God adds to your church those who are being saved, and those of us who have been saved, the Church Training Program can provide resources for you. "For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ: Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ" (Ephesians 4:12-13).

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Gwen Elliott
Associational Church Training Dir.

IN MEMORIAM

It is altogether fitting and proper that this association should pause for a few minutes to pay tribute to those who have been called to join the Assembly of the Redeemed in Heaven. May we ever remember our deceased friends who took heed of what the Master said in John 11-25-26, when He said, "I am the resurrection and the life; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die."

APPLE GROVE - Mr. Billie Little (Chm. of Deacons)
BEAVER CREEK - Mr. Lydia Pierce, Mrs. Betty Mae Darnell, Mrs. Drucilla Jordan, Mrs. Grace Howell
BETHEL - Mr. Clyde Vannoy
BIG FLATTS - Miss Mary Jordan, Mrs. Mattie Greer, Mr. A. F. Sutherland, Mrs. Visa Westover
BIG LAUREL - Mrs. Jeston Roten
BLUE RIDGE - Mrs. Mabel Farmer, Mr. Charles Wake Watson
BRISTOL - Mr. Vance Johnson (Deacon), Mrs. Carrie Parsons
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CHESTNUT HILL - Mrs. Ida Taylor, Mrs. Nannie Blevins
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GRASSY CREEK - Mrs. Pearl D. Williams, Mr. Phipps Davis
HEALING SPRINGS - Mr. Frank McMillan (Deacon)
LANDMARK - Mr. Elmer Hurley
LIBERTY GROVE - Mr. Ralph Tomlinson
LITTLE HELTON - Mrs. Zola B. Jones
MOUNT OLIVE - Mr. Lester Surber, Rev. Gwyn Blackburn (Pastor)
NEW RIVER - Mrs. Madeline Phipps
NORTH BEAVER - Mr. Billy Greene
OAK HILL - Miss Fronia Barker
OBIDS - Mrs. Zora Houck, Miss Ola Faw, Mrs. Bessie Phillips, Mr. Bryce Severt
OLD FIELDS - Mrs. Eunice Goodman

ORION - Mrs. Grace Black
PEAK VALLEY - Mr. Glen McCoy
PHOENIX - Mrs. Lessie King, Mr. Charles King, Mrs. Sara Ann Wright, Mr. Ralph Baldwin
PLEASANT HOME - Mrs. Fannie Weaver, Mrs. Ola Halsey
PLEASANT VALLEY - Mr. Lon Denny
SABBATH HOME - Mr. Lee Eldreth, Mrs. Frankie Eldreth
STURGILLS - Mr. Kermit Howell
THREE FORKS - Mrs. Anna Lea Pope
TRINITY - Miss Ina Lookabill
TUCKERDALE - Mrs. Cenith T. Rose
WAGONER - Mr. Harold Dishman, Mr. Sydney Pennington (Deacon), Mrs. Blanch Sheets
WARRENSVILLE - Mr. Edd Stanley, Mrs. Anna Jean Johnson
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Mrs. Cleona Taylor. Mrs. Fay (Faw) Campbell, Mr. Glen Vestal, Mr. Don Blackburn

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS
REV. WILLIAM C. (BILL) BALLOU
P.O. Box 297 - JEFFERSON, N.C. 28640

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES	County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice on Sunday?		Total Baptisms	Other add. (by letter statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter death, statment, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident mem.	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Total energy costs	Value of church property	Total church debt at end of this associational year
APPLE GROVE	Rev. Jesse Denny, Rt. 1, Warrensville, NC 28693	Ashe	1889	1	Y		6	0	3	75	28	103	0	0	0	0	0
BALO MOUNTAIN	Rev. Jack Pugh, Rt. 1 Box 626, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1890	1	Y		8	5	2	178	65	243	0	0	1,573	250,000	1,500
BAPTIST HOME	Rev. Wayne Roark, Rt. 1 Box 182, Creston, NC 28615	Ashe	1890	1			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEAVER CREEK	Rev. Thomas Shatley, Rt. 1 Box 234, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	1890	1	Y		4	8	9	70	56	126	0	0	903	0	0
BETHEL	Rev. Ross Harless, Rt. 2 Box 130, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1859	1		N	3	2	1	69	42	110	0	0	0	50,000	0
BIG FLATTS	Rev. Charles McCoy, Rt. 2 Box 707, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	1905	1		N	3	0	5	33	27	60	0	0	552	18,520	0
BIG LAUREL	Rev. Bill Day, Rt. 2 Box 280, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Ashe	1880	1		N	0	0	1	12	12	24	0	0	304	40,000	0
BLUE RIDGE	Rev. Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1887	1		N	0	0	2	21	29	50	0	0	379	65,000	0
BRISTOL	Rev. Billy J. Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 84, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	1888	2	Y		3	5	10	219	46	265	0	0	945	100,000	0
BUFFALO	Rev. Johnny Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 113-B, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1868	1		N	17	17	4	146	67	213	1	0	1,018	0	0
CALVARY	Rev. Ray Ham, Rt. 1 Box 582, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1960	3	Y		0	0	0	35	0	35	0	0	450	25,000	0
CHESTNUT HILL	Open Field	Ashe	1928	1		N	1	0	4	42	45	87	0	0	391	38,000	500
CLIFTON	Rev. J. C. Darnell, Rt. 1 Box 249, Warrensville, NC 28693	Ashe	1891	1	Y		1	0	8	163	72	235	0	0	1,015	85,000	10,000
FARMERS MEMORIAL	None Reported	Ashe	1943	1			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Rev. Gary Teague, PO Box 65, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1954	3	Y		8	11	53	318	60	378	0	2	2,464	470,000	11,236
FRIENDSHIP	Rev. Herbert Parunak, Rt. 3 Box 447, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1880	1	Y		2	9	16	317	44	361	1	0	2,916	480,000	0
FRIENDLY GROVE	Rev. Oale Matheson, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1945	1	Y		1	3	12	193	96	289	0	3	3,129	590,000	0
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Open Field	Ashe	1914	1		N	0	3	0	107	76	183	0	0	2,107	100,000	0
GRASSY CREEK	Rev. Kermit Goodman, Gap Creek Estates, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1929	2	Y		7	0	5	99	64	163	0	0	1,227	50,000	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Rev. Dean Watson, Rt. 1 Box 77, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Ashe	1884	1	Y		6	0	9	117	59	176	0	1	1,798	100,000	0
LANDMARK	Rev. David Testerman, PO Box 1300, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1856	1	Y		3	5	2	130	147	277	0	0	1,100	160,000	0
LAUREL KNOB	Rev. James Rash, Rt. 1 Box 326, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1912	1	Y		0	0	0	77	25	102	0	0	1,029	140,000	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Rev. Harvey Presnell, Rt. 3 Box 650, Banner Elk, NC 28604	Ashe	1915	1	Y		5	7	8	110	64	174	2	0	1,270	215,000	0
LIBERTY HILL	None Reported	Ashe	1923	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	Rev. Wayne Jones, Rt. 1 Box 481, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1923	1	Y		0	1	2	64	51	115	0	0	509	8,000	900
LONG BRANCH	Rev. Larry Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 52-B, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	1885	1		N	1	0	2	70	45	115	0	0	689	80,000	0
MIOWAY	Rev. Ervel Jones, Rt.3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1953	1	Y		12	3	4	185	74	259	0	0	1,398	300,000	13,352
MISSION HOME	Rev. Jack Miller, Rt. 3 Box 178, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1893	1		N	0	0	0	118	30	148	0	0	1,360	115,000	0
MOUNT OLIVE	Rev. Gary Watson, Rt. 1 Box 71, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1942	1	Y		0	0	2	45	55	100	0	0	0	81,000	0
NEW RIVER	Rev. Jimmy Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	Ashe	1885	1		N	0	3	5	115	110	225	0	0	1,047	100,000	10,000
NORTH BEAVER	Rev. David Blackburn, Rt. 1 Box 597, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	1943	1	Y		2	1	13	97	43	140	0	0	937	93,000	25,000
OAK HILL	Rev. Garrett Mahaffey, Rt. 1 Box 196, Todd, NC 28684	Ashe	1927	1		N	4	3	4	81	64	145	0	0	1,329	68,000	0
OBIDS	Rev. Ross Harless, Rt. 2 Box 130A, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1892	1		N	0	0	4	31	31	62	0	0	163	75,000	0
OLD FIELDS	Rev. Bill Burkette	Ashe	1803	1	Y		0	2	1	83	18	101	0	0	1,600	150,000	1,000
ORION	Rev. John Leek, 302 Quail Hollow Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1911	1		N	4	6		143	17	160	1	0	1,529	250,000	0
PEAK VALLEY	Rev. Bill Day, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1882	1		N	0	0	2	7	10	17	0	0	217	0	0
PHOENIX	Rev. Frank Tucker, Rt. 1 Box 281, Warrensville, NC 28693	Ashe	1908	1		N	3	1	6	105	42	147	0	1	1,822	100,000	0
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Rev. Richard Holder, Rt. 5 Box 27, Boone, NC 28607	Wat.	1886	1	Y		0	0	2	81	22	103	0	0	0	0	0
PINE SWAMP	Rev. Gary Watson, Rt. 1 Box 71, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1948	1		N	0	0	2	40	20	60	0	0	417	8,500	0
PLEASANT HOME	Rev. Earl Sheets, Rt. 1 Box 854, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1870	1	Y		1	3	4	72	39	111	0	0	422	75,000	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	Rev. Walter Day, Rt. 3 Box 913, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1929	1		N	1	2	1	39	47	86	0	0	0	15,000	0
PROSPERITY	None Reported	Ashe	1949	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUND KNOB	Rev. J. E. Owens, 308 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1940	1		N	2	0	0	78	29	111	0	0	953	38,000	0
SABBATH HOME	Open Field	Ashe	1931	1		N	0	0	2	41	37	78	0	0	0	17,000	0
STURGILLS	Rev. Lloyd Day, Rt. 3 Box 385, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1933	1		N	4	1	1	88	40	128	0	0	474	35,000	0
THREE FORKS	Rev. Bill Day, Rt. 2 Box 280, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	AShe	1835	1		N	7	8	1	54	59	113	0	0	1,153	50,000	0
TRINITY	Rev. Homer Murdock, PO Box 63, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Wat.	1975	1	Y		11	17	9	191	9	200	0	2	1,383	300,000	32,318
TUCKERDALE	Rev. Lloyd Day, Rt. 3 Box 914, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1915	1		N	0	3	4	145	27	172	0	0	1,650	125,000	0
WAGONER	Rev. Clayborn Roten, Rt. 4 Box 383, N. Wilkesboro, NC 28695	Ashe	1949	1		N	3	4	4	100	20	120	0	0	95,500	0	0
WARRENSVILLE	Rev. Jerry Burleson, PO Box 97, Warrensville, NC 28693	Ashe	1929	2	Y		9	6	4	204	53	257	0	0	4,664	320,000	12,532
WELCOME HOME	Open Field	Ashe	1935	1	Y		8	4	11	130	36	166	0	0	1,029	200,000	0
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Rev. Kenneth Morris, PO Box 442, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1916	3	Y		1	6	7	367	50	417	0	0	6,268	500,000	0
	TOTALS						151	149	251	5,305	2,202	7,510	5	9	151,083	6,280,020	118,338

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTOR

REV. ERVEL JONES
ROUTE 3, BOX 722 - WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694
SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll enrollment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool enrollment (Birth through 5 years)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17-years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrollment-Single (18-29 yrs or HS grad through 29)	Young Adult enrollment - Married (18-29 yrs. or HS Grad through 29)	Adult enrollment (30-59 years)	Senior adult enrollment (60 and over)	Adults Away enrollment	Homebound enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	Average weekly Sunday School attend.	Bible Study groups enrollment	Total enrollment in Bible Study	Number ethnic Sunday School members	Church VBS enrollment	Mission VBS enrollment	Backyard Bible Club enrollment
APPLE GROVE	Mr. Larry Little, Rt. 3, Lansing, NC 28643	0	2	5	5	6	2	17	6	0	0	0	0	43	35	0	0	0	0	0	0
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mr. Harold Wyatt, Rt. 1 Box 636, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	10	7	9	0	14	30	20	0	0	2	0	92	64	0	92	0	60	0	0
BAPTIST HOME	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEAVER CREEK	Mr. David Goodman, Rt. 2, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	4	7	5	6	8	24	6	0	0	0	0	60	42	0	59	0	38	0	0
BETHEL	Mr. Carol Osborne, Rt. 1 Box 16R, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	3	12	12	8	0	42	5	0	0	0	0	82	47	0	82	0	38	0	0
BIG FLATTS	Mr. Thomas Elliott, Rt. 1 Box 15A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	5	5	15	4	4	19	8	0	0	3	0	63	43	0	63	1	59	0	0
BIG LAUREL	Mr. Glyda Roten, Rt. 2 Box 140, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	2	1	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	10	8	0	10	0	0	0	0
BLUE RIDGE	Mr. James Watson, Rt. 2, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	1	0	0	0	0	2	12	0	0	0	3	0	18	18	0	18	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Mr. Billy Dean Lambert, 907 N Main St., Jeff., NC 28640	0	7	10	11	7	9	56	15	0	0	3	0	118	86	0	118	0	87	0	0
BUFFALO	Mr. Edgar Ouncan, Rt. 1, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	7	7	15	17	4	0	35	11	0	0	0	0	96	94	0	0	0	119	0	0
CALVARY	Mr. Clayborn Wagoner, Rt. 1, Bare St., W. Jeff., NC 28694	2	4	2	1	2	2	4	3	0	0	0	0	20	14	0	20	0	18	0	0
CHESTNUT HILL	Mr. Spencer Brown, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	1	3	3	6	0	0	23	1	0	4	0	0	41	35	0	41	0	30	0	0
CLIFTON	Mr. Ed Miller, Rt. 2 Box 40A, Creston, NC 28617	0	8	6	10	7	3	50	5	0	0	1	0	90	60	0	90	0	75	0	0
FARMERS MEMORIAL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mr. J. E. Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	0	8	20	11	14	8	15	26	0	0	8	0	110	97	0	110	0	79	0	0
FRIENDSHIP	Mr. Kyle Ball, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	13	9	11	0	26	16	40	0	0	0	0	115	75	0	190	0	104	0	0
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mr. Jack Hardin, Rt. 3 Box 308, W. Jeff., NC 28694	3	15	16	16	13	19	70	24	0	0	3	0	176	98	0	176	0	73	0	0
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Mr. Larry Elliott, 308 Sunny Side Dr., Jeff., NC 28640	1	6	7	9	10	6	30	6	3	0	9	0	87	87	0	87	0	49	0	0
GRASSY CREEK	Mr. Dewey Cox, Rt. 1 Box 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	7	5	9	8	29	9	0	0	0	0	74	49	0	74	0	63	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Mr. Charles Phipps, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	6	18	15	13	18	34	0	0	0	0	0	104	67	0	104	0	65	0	0
LANOMARK	Mr. Glen Oavis, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	0	2	12	14	8	10	30	10	0	0	6	0	92	75	0	92	0	0	0	0
LAUREL KNOB	Mrs. Freda Goodman, Star Rt., Box 63B, Deep Gap, NC	3	2	6	7	0	3	5	8	1	0	5	0	40	35	0	40	0	34	0	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Mr. Kermit Miller, Star Route, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	2	11	11	6	8	22	13	0	0	3	0	75	54	0	75	0	25	0	0
LIBERTY HILL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	Mr. J. Wilford Porter, Rt. 1 Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC	0	3	5	2	4	0	18	20	0	0	0	0	52	39	0	52	0	81	0	0
LONG BRNACH	Mr. Kenny Hart, Rt. 1, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	9	7	2	0	16	12	0	0	0	0	52	50	0	52	0	48	0	0
MIOWAY	Mr. Dwight Furches, Rt. 3 Box 149, W. Jeff., NC 28694	4	11	18	22	6	4	33	17	0	0	0	0	115	82	0	115	0	120	0	0
MISSION HOME	Mr. Bill Gentry, Rt. 1 Box 251, Todd, NC 28684	0	17	7	10	7	15	28	26	0	0	0	0	110	86	0	110	0	94	0	0
MOUNT OLIVE	Mr. John Brown, Rt. 2 Box 599, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	1	2	6	7	2	2	20	5	0	0	0	0	45	34	0	45	0	0	0	0
NEW RIVER	Mr. James Childers, Rt. 3 Box 30, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	20	25	14	2	6	70	10	0	6	3	0	150	88	0	150	0	55	0	0
NORTH BEAVER	Mr. Oarrell Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 778, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	10	24	14	0	20	35	20	0	0	0	0	123	51	0	123	0	57	0	0
OAK HILL	Mr. Walter Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	9	4	2	2	30	8	0	0	3	0	58	38	0	58	0	46	0	0
OBIOS	Mr. Glen South, Rt. 2 Box 594, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	6	2	2	0	6	8	9	1	0	1	0	35	24	0	35	0	27	0	0
OLO FIELOS	Mr. William Fairchild, Rt. 2 Box 252, W. Jeff., NC 28694	2	7	15	9	4	12	8	24	0	0	3	0	84	57	0	84	0	57	0	0
ORION	Mr. Russell Vannoy, Rt. 3, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	2	2	10	10	2	10	34	0	0	0	0	0	90	60	0	90	0	54	0	0
PEAK VALLEY	Mr. Don McCoy, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	9	0	0	0	0	11	10	0	11	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	Mr. J. C. Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	8	10	13	3	3	20	25	4	0	3	0	89	55	0	89	0	46	0	0
PILOT MOUNTAIN	None Reported	0	2	0	10	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	32	30	0	32	0	0	0	0
PINE SWAMP	Mr. Kyle Vannoy, Rt. 2, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	4	7	2	3	12	7	0	3	5	0	40	30	0	40	0	18	0	0
PLEASANT HOME	Mr. Wayne Jones, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	3	5	10	5	8	18	8	3	0	12	0	72	50	0	72	0	19	0	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PROSPERITY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUNO KNOB	Mr. Walter Smith, Box 272, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	2	5	6	8	6	8	20	5	0	0	12	0	72	53	0	72	0	32	0	0
SABBATH HOME	Mr. Thomas Hamm, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	6	0	4	0	12	0	1	0	3	0	26	12	0	26	0	0	0	0
STURGILLS	Mr. Ricky Little, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	2	16	18	20	0	0	58	0	0	0	0	0	114	68	0	114	0	65	0	0
THREE FORKS	Mr. Bill Farmer, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	6	7	8	4	2	26	11	0	0	4	0	67	47	0	63	0	64	0	0
TRINITY	Mr. Cullan Grogan, Rt. 1 Box 117, Todd, NC 28684	6	6	24	20	6	23	47	30	1	8	2	0	173	98	0	173	0	142	0	0
TUCKEROALE	Mr. Ralph Oavis, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	12	12	14	7	34	29	0	0	0	12	0	120	87	0	120	0	67	0	0
WAGONER	Mr. George Liddle, Rt. 1 Box 194A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	6	6	5	7	12	14	10	0	0	10	0	70	40	0	70	0	35	0	0
WARRENSVILLE	Mr. Lanny Lewis, Rt. 2 Box 12, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	10	12	13	11	10	39	17	43	0	0	2	0	157	100	63	220	0	98	0	0
WELCOME HOME	Mr. Leonard Crepps, Rt. 1 Box 202A, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	9	7	4	4	2	24	10	0	0	2	0	62	60	0	62	0	91	0	0
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Mr. Jim Gambill, PO Box 360, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	4	3	47	23	34	16	64	54	0	10	4	0	259	86	0	0	0	53	0	0
	TOTALS	52	287	474	446	241	377	1,250	579	14	31	129	0	3,884	2,618	63	3,619	1	2,385	0	0

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTOR MRS. GWEN ELLIOTT ROUTE 1 BOX 142 - WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694 CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment (5 yrs and under-not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 yrs or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Equipping centers enrollment	NCMI/Survival Kit enrollment	MasterLife Enrollment	Other enrollment	Hold file enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total church training enrollment	Average weekly Church Training attendance
FRIENDSHIP	Mr. Robert Marsh, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	5	5	10	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	32
LAUREL KNOB		4	2	6	15	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	30	30
LIBERTY GROVE		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	0	0	35	0
MIDWAY	Ms. Lois Jones, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	6	2	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	32
MISSION HOME	Mr. Wayne Testerman, Jr., Rt. 1 Box 173, Todd, NC 28684	2	9	8	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	44	39
NORTH BEAVER	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	0	0	0	49	30
OLD FIELDS	Mr. Johnny Brown, Rt. 2 Box 593, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	6	10	3	15	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	39	33
PHOENIX	Mr. Joe Eller, Rt. 3 Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643	2	2	2	8	0	0	0	0	12	4	0	30	15
TRINITY	Mr. Dale Bleivns, PO Box 81, Deep Gap, NC 28618	10	11	14	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	47
WARRENSVILLE	Mr. Stanley Lindsey, Jefferson, NC 28640	7	8	19	38	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	75	35
WEST JEFF. FIRST		0	10	25	20	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	56	21
	TOTALS	39	63	89	194	0	0	0	49	47	16	0	497	314

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC DIRECTOR
MRS. MARGARET VANCE
ROUTE 1 BOX 416, SUNSET DRIVE
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694
MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES

CHURCHES		Preschool enrollment	Younger children's enrollment (6-8 yrs.)	Older children's enrollment (9-11 years)	Youth enrollment (12-17 yrs.)	Adult enrollment (18 & over)	Handbell ringers enroll.	Vocal ensembles enrollment	Instrumental ensembles enroll.	General music leaders enrollment	Enrollment of Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	Average weekly Music Ministry attendance
APPLE GROVE	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BALO MOUNTAIN	Mr. Grover Campbell, Rt. 1 Box 646, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BAPTIST HOME	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEAVER CREEK	Mr. Winford Kimberlin, Rt. 1 Box 174, Todd, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BETHEL	Mr. Earl McNeill, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BIG FLATTS	Mr. Russell Phillips, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	4	14	35	0	5	0	5	0	58	40
BIG LAUREL	Mr. Geter Roten, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	
BLUE RIDGE	Mrs. Patricia Hayworth, Rt. 2, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Mr. Vaughn Baldwin, 32 Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	7	12	28	0	0	0	6	0	53	25
BUFFALO	Mr. Charles Harless, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	3	5	15	20	0	0	2	3	0	46	40
CALVARY	Mr. Claybon Wagoner, Rt. 1, Bare St., W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	2
CHESTNUT HILL	Mrs. Rose Hash, Rt. 1 Box 20, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLIFTON	Mrs. Debbie Darnell, Rt.1 Box 249, Warrensville, NC 28693	2	3	2	5	18	0	0	0	1	0	31	20
FARMERS MEMORIAL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mr. Junior Greer, Rt. 3 Box 688, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	5	8	8	27	0	3	2	5	0	60	30
FRIENDSHIP	Mrs. Linda Ball, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	2	2	15	21	0	0	0	4	0	44	25
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mr. Dewey Campbell, PO Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694	5	0	0	0	34	0	17	0	4	0	60	33
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Mr. Dale Reaves, Rt. 1 Box 112, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	4	4	4	13	0	4	4	6	0	39	20
GRASSY CREEK	Mrs. Nancy Phipps, Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Mr. Shannon Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	3	0	28	20
LANDMARK	Mr. R. L. Blevins, Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LAUREL KNOB	Mrs. Freda Goodman, Star Rt. Box 63-B, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	1	2	5	10	0	2	3	3	0	18	15
LIBERTY GROVE	Mr. William Scott, Rt. 1 Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	0	4	3	0	15	0	0	0	2	0	24	20
LIBERTY HILL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	Mr. J. Wilford Porter, Rt. 1 Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	3	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	13	10
LONG BRANCH	None Reported	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	16	15
MIOWAY	Mr. Ernie Lambert, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	4	5	10	22	0	0	0	6	0	47	29
MISSION HOME	Mr. Jim Gentry, PO Box 1054, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	10	25	0	0	0	3	0	38	30
MOUNT OLIVE	Mr. Joe Caparolie, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW RIVER	Mrs. JoAnne Blackburn, Rt. 1 Box 590, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	8	0	0	12	0	2	0	5	0	27	25
NORTH BEAVER	Mr. Bob Neaves, PO Box 206, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	9	18	0	2	1	3	0	33	15
OAK HILL	Mr. Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	5	8	23	0	0	0	2	0	38	0
OBIOS	Mrs. Vilena South, Rt. 2 Box 592, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	4	0
OLD FIELDS	Mrs. Oianne Brown, Rt. 2 Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	4	2	0	18	0	0	0	4	0	31	25
ORION	Mrs. Betty Jenkins, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	3	0	26	20
PEAK VALLEY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	Mr. Bob Calhoun, Rt. 3 Box 26-B, Lansing, NC 28643	2	2	2	3	12	0	0	0	3	0	24	15
PILOT MOUNTAIN	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PINE SWAMP	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
PLEASANT HOME	Mrs. Beatrice Young, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	6	4	2	0	4	0	3	0	19	10
PLEASANT VALLEY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PROSPERITY	Nonre Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUNO KNOB	Mrs. Anna Belle Cox, Rt. 2, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SABBATH HOME	Mrs. Ruby Hamm, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
STURGILLS	Mr. Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
THREE FORKS	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRINITY	Mrs. Debbie Marshall, General Oelivery, Vilas, NC 28692	8	12	13	10	28	0	7	1	6	0	85	34
TUCKEROALE	Mr. Edison Harless, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WAGONER	Mr. Russell Roark, Rt. 1 Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	2	0	3	7	12	0	2	0	5	0	0	15
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Sally Ashley, PO Box 5, Warrensville, NC 28693	6	4	9	3	30	0	3	1	4	0	60	35
WELCOME HOME	Mr. Claude Neaves, 1450 North Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	2	4	4	3	15	0	0	0	2	0	30	17
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Mrs. Margaret Vance, Rt. 1, 416 Sunset Or., W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	10	9	8	25	10	3	0	7	0	72	40
	TOTALS	38	73	99	153	527	10	51	14	110	0	971	625

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL WMU DIRECTOR MRS. IRENE CAMPBELL P.O. Box 461 - WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694 WMU DIRECTOR & ADDRESSES	Mission Friends (5 years and under-not in school)	Girls in action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 yrs. or HS grad. through 29 yrs.)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total no. of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under-not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 or HS grad. through 29 yrs)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrollment
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mrs. Paulette Poe, Rt. 3 Box 621, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	0	1	1	4	8	6	2	0	5	10	6	4	33
BUFFALO	Mrs. Joann Swift, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	6	0	6	4	16	16
CLIFTON	Mrs. Kay Richardson, Rt. 2 Box 280, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	9	0	12	1	0	22
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mrs. Kathy Bower, Martin Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	2	6	1	10	12	4	0	35
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mrs. Venita Taylor, Rt. 3 Box 361, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	37	3	0	40
FRIENDSHIP	Mrs. Patsy Miller, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	3	6	0	20	6	0	42
GRASSY CREEK	Mrs. Nancy Phipps, Mouth of Wilson, Virginia 24363	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MIDWAY	Mrs. Barbara Hodges, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	1	2	0	10	5	0	34
MISSION HOME	Mrs. Thelma Phillips, Rt. 1 Box 207, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	15	5	0	20
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jean Eggers, Rt. 1 Box 41, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	8	3	0	12
OLD FIELDS	Mrs. Norma Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	5	6	0	8	8	1	0	28
ORION	Mrs. Ruth Calhoun, Luther Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1		1	4	8	5	6	9		27	4		51
PHOENIX	Mrs. Cecile Eldreth, PO Box 26, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRINITY	Mrs. Martha Watson, Rt. 1 Box 85, Fleetwood, NC 28626	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	12	8	10	16	7	0	61
WAGONER	Ms. Dianne Sheets, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	6	11	17
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Geraldine Reed, Rt. 2 Box 74 Creston, NC 28615	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	8	10	9	17	12	2	0	58
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Mrs. Cathy Yates, PO Box 355, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	7	10	0	64	8	0	94
	TOTALS	8	9	8	5	14	12	56	52	53	60	51	257	65	31	563

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

CHURCHES	ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD DIRECTOR BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Crusaders (6-11 yrs. or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12)	RA director and committee	Baptist Men enrollment Basic	Baptist Men enrollment Prayer	Baptist Men enrollment Mission Action	Baptist Men enrollment Witnessing or Lay Renewal	Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mr. Arlie Blevins, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	8	8	3	0	0	0	0	3	15	37
FRIENDSHIP	Mr. Mike Dixon, 206 Frank Witherspoon Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	1	6	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	10
MIDWAY	Mr. John Goodman, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	5	0	0	10	10	0	1	15	19
OLD FIELDS	Mr. Joe Hodges, Rt. 2 Box 229, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	3	0	12
PHOENIX	Mr. Howard Turnmire, Rt.1 Box 32-A, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	12	0	3	0	15
TRINITY	Mr. Ronnie Dowell, Rt. 1 Box 59-B, Deep Gap, NC 28618	7	5	1	20	0	0	0	1	0	34
WARRENSVILLE	Mr. Buster Black, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	5	2	0	8	0	0	1	0	20
	TOTALS	24	29	7	29	18	22	0	14	30	147

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP

ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER
MRS. JEANNIE MCNEILL
ROUTE 1 BOX 87 - CRUMPLER, NC 28617
TREASURERS & ADDRESSES

CHURCHES		Number of tithers	Coop. Program goal as percent of undersigned receipts	Associational missions goal as percent of undersigned receipts	Undersignated gifts, offerings, etc.	Designated gifts, offerings, etc.	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total Receipts	Money borrowed during year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Mrs. Flossie Taylor, R1 B226, Lansing, NC 28643	24	396	0	2,926	1,009	3,935	0	3,935	0	571	639	0	265	1,723	3,198
BALO MOUNTAIN	Mr. Ronnie Hopkins, R1 B679, W. Jeff., NC 28694	15	6	6	31,114	0	31,114	0	31,114	0	13,600	0	6,423	876	3,074	23,973
BAPTIST HOME	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEAVER CREEK	Mrs. Lois Grubb, R3 B613, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	0	0	16,494	0	16,494	0	16,494	0	4,200	593	0	801	5,366	10,960
BETHEL	Mr. E.A. Phillips, R1 B155, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,175	0	0	938	3,948	8,061
BIG FLATTS	Mrs. Janet Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 219, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	8,920	3,173	12,093	0	12,093	0	5,975	927	0	338	2,174	9,414
BIG LAUREL	Mr. Johnie Roten, R2 B276, Creston, NC 28615	3	2	8	3,339	0	3,339	0	3,339	0	720	0	0	40	774	1,554
BLUE RIDGE	Mrs. Louise Hepler, R2 B308, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	0	0	6,647	0	6,647	263	6,911	0	2,213	0	0	61	3,201	5,774
BRISTOL	Mrs. Mary Lambert, 907 N. Main St., Jeff., NC	45	4	4	24,311	9,876	34,187	572	34,759	0	16,845	0	0	641	13,321	30,808
BUFFALO	Mrs. Kim Furches, R3 B402, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	0	0	21,008	440	21,448	0	21,448	0	7,854	0	0	686	1,018	9,937
CALVARY	Mr. Bobby Lambert, Church Ave., W Jeff., NC 28694	10	3	5	200	100	300	0	300	0	400	0	0	240	450	1,090
CHESTNUT HILL	Mrs. Nell Brinegar, R1 Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	0	6,622	0	6,622	0	2,280	0	1,233	353	1,314	5,181
CLIFTON	Mrs. Mary Richardson, R1 B112, Warrensville, NC	13	2.5	2.5	20,728	7,051	27,779	0	27,779	10,000	12,270	13,157	0	447	472	26,346
FARMERS MEM.	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLETCHER MEM.	Mrs. Jan Bare, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	20	8	6	71,183	14,640	85,823	893	86,716	0	23,301	0	20,949	4,118	22,409	70,777
FRIENDSHIP	Mrs. Ruby Little, 1028 E. Main St., Jeff., NC	22	6	5	39,359	18,865	58,224	0	58,224	0	23,206	2,588	0	1,637	26,375	53,806
FRIENDLY GR.	Mrs. Lois Severt, R3 B439, W. Jeff., NC 28694	25	4	4	43,251	24,055	67,306	0	67,306	0	24,738	0	0	2,525	22,603	49,866
GLENDALE SPR.	Mrs. Madge Hudler, R2 B498, W. Jeff., NC 28694	20	0	5	23,120	0	23,120	0	23,120	0	12,780	656	0	1,078	6,609	21,122
GRASSY CREEK	Mrs. Oixie Hart, R1 B29, Mouth of Wilson, VA	13	4	5	19,536	1,166	20,702	0	20,702	0	10,213	0	0	878	4,708	15,799

HEALING SPR.	Mrs. Rose Mary Phipps, R1 B609, Crumpler, NC	12	5	4	19,493	5,771	25,264	0	25,264	0	8,930	3,044	0	1,137	10,384	23,495
LANDMARK	Mr. Joe Oliver, R2 B210, Lansing, NC 28643	20		0	15,342	824	16,166	16,166	16,166	0	0	3,405	0	977	10,820	15,202
LAUREL KNOB	Mrs. Imogene Goodman, 840 E Main St., Jeff., NC	16	4	3	18,093	2,331	20,424	202	20,626	0	12,820	0	0	410	2,314	15,544
LIBERTY GR.	Mrs. Mary South, PO Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618	7	5.5	4.2	26,007	3,732	29,739	0	29,739	0	9,043	0	0	949	8,535	18,526
LIBERTY HILL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	Mrs. Kay Testerman, R1 B253, Grassy Creek, NC	0	0	0	3,626	0	3,626	0	3,626	0	1,535	1,515	0	558	740	4,348
LONG BRANCH	Mrs. Ilene Eldreth, PO B144, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	75	100	175	0	175	0	5,674	786	0	414	226	7,100
MIDWAY	Mrs. Barbara Hodges, R3, W. Jeff., NC 28694	30	10	6	50,732	8,746	59,478	1,136	60,614	0	19,332	0	9,958	2,373	19,512	51,175
MISSION HOME	Mr. Raymond Brown,R1 B205, Todd, NC 28684	20	5	4	28,525	1,676	30,196	260	30,456	0	13,676	0	0	1,016	2,556	17,249
MOUNT OLIVE	Mrs. Ellen Mash, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	7,256	1,000	8,256	0	0	0	2,700	0	0	224	4,598	7,522
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jaylene Warden, R1 B338, Piney Creek, NC	35	5	5	34,819	2,057	36,876	0	36,876	10,000	10,947	47,000	446	5 555	15,606	74,554
NORTH BEAVER	Mrs. Elaine Sheets, R2 B796, W. Jeff., NC 28694	15	4	8	17,242	29,977	47,219	1,241	48,460	25,000	7,600	43,471	2,180	1,752	2,090	57,093
OAK HILL	Mr. Burton Miller, R2, Lansing, NC 28643	9	0	120	14,006	0	14,006	0	14,006	0	4,631	1,359	0	308	4,175	10,483
OBIDS	Mrs. Bly St. John, R2 B196, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	0	0	5,191	1,625	6,816	0	6,816	0	2,365	0	0	281	1,304	3,950
OLD FIELDS	Mrs. Nelle Hayes, R2 B117, W. Jeff., NC 28694	20	6	5	21,058	11,463	32,521	0	32,521	2,000	11,152	0	0	1,398	3,805	16,355
ORION	Mr. Ralph Jones, R1 B500, Crumpler, NC 26817	12	5	3	27,065	3,040	30,105	0	30,105	0	15,350	0	0	2,038	8,979	26,367
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, R1 B289, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	1,426	80	1,506	0	1,506	0	360	0	0	53	481	894
PHOENIX	Rev. Bruce Eller, R1 B77, Warrensville, NC 28693	23	5	4	25,458	4,524	29,982	0	29,982	0	8,866	0	0	1,162	12,398	22,426
PILOT MTN	None Reported	0	0	0	4,613	2,693	7,306	0	7,306	1,000	727	6,160	0	148	1,167	9,202
PINE SWAMP	Mrs. Shelby Hartzog, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	6,052	0	6,052	0	6,052	0	3,543	0	0	103	131	3,777
PLEASANT HOME	Mrs. Sue Weaver, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	48	5	4	13,135	290	13,425	0	13,425	0	6,264	0	0	530	3,521	10,315
PLEASANT VALL.	Mrs. Dorothy Pennington, R2 B92,Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	447	0	0	0	1,043	1,490
PROSPERITY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUND KNOB	Mrs. Annie Severt, R2, Fleetwood, NC 28626	16	0	0	10,628	0	10,628	0	10,628	0	4,697	1,870	0	600	1,180	8,347
SABABTH HM	Mrs. Ruby Hamm, R1 B136, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	850	0	0	0	0	250	0	0	475	825	1,550
STURGILLS	Mrs. Katherine Sturgill, R2 B341,Lansing, NC	0	0	0	11,164	1,000	12,164	0	12,164	0	3,503	4,300	0	396	1,187	9,386
THREE FORKS	Mr. Norman Roten, R2, B71, Creston, NC 28615	8	4	3	10,215	0	10,215	0	10,215	0	0	0	0	452	7,835	8,287
TRINITY	Mr. Leslie Gentry, R1 B115, Deep Gap, Nc 28618	34	10	4	58,480	35,737	94,217	0	94,217	0	26,486	0	8,880	1,992	13,487	50,845
TUCKERDALE	Mr. Ronda Powers, R2 B716, Lansing, NC 28643	20	0	0	18,236	1,480	19,716	500	20,216	0	10,200	1,329	0	1,433	1,487	14,449
WAGONER	Mrs. Irma Liddle, R1 B194-A, Jefferson, NC 28640	5	10	10	8,405	578	8,983	0	8,983	0	4,800	0	0	263	5,298	10,361
WARRENSVILLE	Mr. Harry Ashley, R2 B217, Warrensville, NC	80	0	0	41,380	7,450	48,830	815	49,645	0	24,653	6,824	2,732	2,768	7,328	44,305
WELCOME HOME	Mrs. Helen Williams, R3 B35,Jefferson, NC	0	2	2	18,962	1,541	20,503	666	21,169	0	9,421	0	0	859	4,285	14,565
WJ FIRST	Mr. Larry Rhodes, Po Box 61, Jefferson, NC 28640	40	12	3	104,115	38,203	142,318	1,572	143,890	0	40,292	6,187	9,828	4,591	49,578	110,476
	TOTALS	680			952,935	255,058	1,205,845	24,286	5,490,599	48,000	1,784,877	145,810	1,214,668	46,137	326,414	1,122,076

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK
MRS. JEANNIE MCNEILL
RT. 1 BOX 87, CRUMPLER, N.C. 28617

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	Money paid out on new construction during ye	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State Missions	SB Home Mission (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's Homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures,
APPLE GROVE	Mrs. Flossie Taylor, R1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	20	0	20	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	80	80
BALO MOUNTAIN	Mr. Mary Hopkins, R1 B679, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1,652	1,501	0	307	372	0	0	0	0	0	2,180	3,832
BAPTIST HOME	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEAVER CREEK	Mrs. Genevieve Grogan, R1 B155, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	620	0	0	420	0	240	0	240	2,530	4,050	8,100
BETHEL	Mr. E. A. Phillips, R2 B155, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	86	310	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	310	396
BIG FLATTS	Mrs. Anita Elliott, R1 B15-A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	120	63	0	200	0	250	25	25	0	683	683
BIG LAUREL	Mr. Johnie Roten, R2 B276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	400	255	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	255	655
BLUE RIOGE	Mrs. Louise Hepler, R2 B308, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	700	0	0	0	750	750
BRISTOL	Mrs. Grace Miller, 1016 N. Main St., Jeff., NC 28640	0	0	0	1,526	1,420	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	100	1,920	3,446
BUFFALO	Mrs. Kathy Eller, R1 B584, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	150	200	0	200	240	0	0	0	0	0	640	790
CALVARY	Mr. Phillip Clark, R2 B760, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHESTNUT HILL	Mrs. Brenda Gambill, R1 Box 551, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	50	50	0	150	150
CLIFTON	Miss Carol Jones, R2 B32, Creston, NC 28615	1,000	0	1,000	512	694	0	100	100	0	0	0	0	0	894	2,406
FARMERS MEMORIAL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLETCHER MEM.	Mrs. Mary Blackburn, 107 Wiley St., Jefferson, NC	0	0	0	5,697	4,243	267	1,175	1,708	0	0	0	0	3,156	10,549	16,246
FRIENOSHIP	Mr. Fred Walters, R1 B36, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	2,243	1,663	1,361	830	1,620	0	0	0	0	0	5,474	7,717
FRIENOLY GROVE	Mrs. Rayborne Harless, R3 B247, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	90	90	1,920	1,800	1,716	1,200	2,398	0	0	0	0	2,446	9,560	11,570
GLENOALE SPR.	Mr. Roger Sheets, R2 Box 470, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	180	90	0	0	0	100	0	100	1,099	1,569	1,869
GRASSY CREEK	Mrs. Oixie Hart,R1 Box 29, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	0	0	791	0	0	50	250	0	0	0	0	2,446	3,537	3,537

HEALING SPR.	Mrs. Nancy Phipps, R1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	989	169	352	145	119	0	138	0	0	0	923	1,912
LANDMARK	Mr. Joe Oliver, Rt. 2 Box 210, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	800	120	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	0	170	970
LAUREL KNOB	Mrs. Joanne Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	328	810	0	0	328	0	328	175	328	1,248	3,217	3,545
LIBERTY GROVE	Mr. J. C. Trivette, R1 B88, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	1,200	800	0	1,201	920	0	0	0	0	0	2,921	4,121
LIBERTY HILL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	00	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	Mrs. Kay Testerman, R1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	097	180	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	180	277
LONG BRANCH	Mr. Monty Miller, PO Box 154, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	100	50	50	0	0	150	0	50	300	700	700
MIOWAY	Mr. Don Goodman, Rt. 2 Box 18, West Jefferson, NC	0	0	0	6,312	3,704	500	719	2,046	0	0	0	0	130	7,099	13,411
MISSION HOME	Mr. Carroll Phillips, R1 Box 207, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	1,246	1,292	0	921	700	0	0	0	0	1,584	4,497	4,497
MOUNT OLIVE		0	0	0	50	132	20	0	158	0	50	50	50	0	460	510
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jaylene Warden, R1 8338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	0	0	0	1,393	1,741	451	200	361	0	28	175	175	647	3,778	5,171
NORTH BEAVER	Mrs. Geraldine Hartzog, R2 8190, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	650	1,302	200	100	100	0	0	0	0	67	1,769	2,419
OAK HILL	Mr. Junior Elliott, R2 86, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	120	0	0	839	0	180	0	0	1,678	2,817	2,817
OBIOS	Mrs. Nettie McNeill, R2 8367, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	133	179	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	279	412
OLO FIELOS	Mrs. Phyllis Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	741	944	474	988	1,250	0	0	0	0	50	3,706	4,447
ORION	Mrs. Nancy Woodie, R3 Box 740, West Jefferson, NC	0	0	0	1,254	717	198	0	367	0	0	0	0	0	1,282	2,536
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, R1 B289, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	150	100	0	0	125	0	50	0	0	0	275	425
PHOENIX	Mrs. Mary Jane Ashley, R1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC	0	0	0	900	1,000	75	110	110	15	90	45	45	30	2,420	2,420
PILOT MTN.	Mr. John Byland, Rt. 1 box 25, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	139	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139
PINE SWAMP	Mrs. Sylvia Ketner, Rt. 2 Box 340, W. Jefferson, NC	0	0	0	100	150	0	0	0	0	55	0	0	50	255	355
PLEASANT HOME	Mrs. Sharon Parsons, Rt 1 Box 306, Grassy Creek, NC	0	0	0	503	525	131	10	20	0	10	50	50	0	796	1,299
PLEASANT VAL.	Mrs. Dorothy Pennington, R2 Box 92, Lansing, NC 28463	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PROPERITY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUNO KNOB	Mrs. Martha Cox, R2 Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	00	935	1,135	1,335
SABBATH HOME	Mrs. Ruby Hamm, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STURGILLS	Mr. Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	500	0	1,400	0	0	500	0	0	0	2,400	2,400
THREE FORKS	Mr. Norman Roten, Rt. 2 Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	345	340	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	340	685
TRINITY	Mrs. Jessie Baldwin, Rt. 1 Box 138, Todd, NC 28684	15,600	691	16,291	3,176	2,268	146	543	1,000	0	0	0	0	1,565	5,522	24,989
TUCKERDALE	Mrs. Jeanette Davis, Rt. 1 Box 317-A, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	200	480	25	25	172	0	400	100	0	1,000	2,202	2,402
WAGONER	Mrs. Elsie Poe, Rt. 1 Box 105, Laurel Springs, NC	0	0	0	0	275	200	0	40	0	32	0	0	43	590	590
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Geraldine Reed, Rt. 2 Box 74, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	2,250	1,020	505	800	810	0	0	0	255	0	3,390	5,640
WELCOME HOME	Mr. Oeanna Sebastian, Rt. 1 Box 253, Crumpler, NC	0	0	0	764	450	0	0	0	0	135	0	0	0	585	1,349
WJ FIRST	Mrs. Theresa Curd, Rt. 2 Box 410, West Jefferson, NC	0	0	0	13,000	2,000	1,420	2,221	4,900	0	200	100	100	1,196	12,137	25,137
	TOTALS	16,600	781	17,381	51,778	34,813	8,364	13,515	21,573	15	3,916	770	1,468	27,300	108,446	178,837

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

MODERATOR
MR, MARVIN OSBORNE
ROUTE 3 BOX 493, WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694
CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES

CHURCHES		No. Church type mis. started during yr.	No. church type mis. currently operating	No. other type mis. started during yr.	No. other type mis. currently operating	New Sunday School mem.	No. serving in miss. evangelism project	($) Annie Armstrong Off.	No. church vocations Volunteers	N=none R=radio TV-TV B=both	No. in Sunday school but not Church member	College student baptisms	Bapt. from Good News revivals	Sunday morning worship service attendance	Y=Yes N=No Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc? Library	Weekly workers meetins	Family Ministry empahsis	Baptist Doctrin Study	BMT prayer activities	Home mission study	Foreign mission study	PGG Church event	RA week	Expanded Annuity Plan	Published written history	Specific educ. budget	State paper in budget
APPPLE GROVE	Mr. Ervin Miller, Rt. 2 Box 213, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	3	0	0	34	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BALO MOUNTAIN	Mr. Oean Lawrence, Rt. 3 Box 572, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	7	0	307	0	N	2	0	8	64	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BAPTIST HOME	No Report Received	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BEAVER CREEK	Mr. Warren Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 142, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	N	0	3	0	43	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BETHEL	Mr. Ralph Bard, Rt. 2 Box 240, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	R	0	0		0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BIG FLATTS	Mr. William Bumgarner, Rt. 1 Box 15, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	1	0	2	49	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BIG LAUREL	Mr. Geter Roten, Rt. 1 Box 76, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	1	0	0	16	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BLUE RIOGE	Mr. C. W. Johnston, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	1	0	0	18	N	N	N		N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BRISTOL	Mr. Ralph Testerman, PO Box 373, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	5	0	200	0	N	5	0	0	105	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BUFFALO	Mr. Edgar Ouncan, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	5	0	0	34	0	200	0	N	1	1	2	95	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CALVARY	None reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	23	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CHESTNUT HILL	Mr. Oale Brinegar, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	N	3	0	0	29	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CLIFTON	Mr. Joe Eastridge, Rt. 1 Box 255, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	5	0	100	0	N	6	0	0	57	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
FARMERS MEMORIAL	No report received	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mr. Charles Caudill, 222 Stanley St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	15	0	1175	0	R	20	0	6	116	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
FRIENOSHIP	Mr. Fred Walters, Rt. I Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0	0	830	0	N	0	0	0	0	Y		Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
FRIENOLY GROVE	MR. Paul Hopkins, Rt. 3 Box 298, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	11	0	1200	0	N	7	0	1	116	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Mr. Roger Sheets, Rt. 2 Box 470, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	90	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
GRASSY CREEK	Mr. Oewey Cox, Rt. 1 Box 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	2	0	0	58	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N

HEALING SPRINGS	Mr. Clifton Poe, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 2B617	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	N	7	1	1	44	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
LANDMARK	Mr. M. J. Blackburn, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	N	0	1	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
LAUREL KNOB	Mr. Fred Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 2B8, Todd, NC 2B6B4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	40	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
LIBERTY GROVE	Mr. Joe Brown, Rt. 1 Box 57, Todd, NC 2B6B4	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	N	1	0	0	81	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
LIBERTY HILL	No report received	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LONG BRANCH	Mr. Vaughn Welch, Rt. 3 Box 72, Lansing, NC 2B643	0	0	0	0	2	0	50	0	N	1	0	0	52	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
MIOWAY	Mr. Howard Jones, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 2B694	0	0	0	0	6	0	767	0	N	1	0	0	1	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
MOUNT OLIVE	Mr. Martin Surber, Rt. 1 Box 195, Todd, NC 2B6B4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
NEW RIVER	Mr. James Childers, Rt. 3 Box 30, Jefferson, NC 2B640	0	0	0	0	6	0	200	0	N	6	0	0	110	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
NORTH BEAVER	Mr. Bryce Hurley, Rt. 2 Box 792, West Jefferson, NC 2B694	0	0	0	1	10	0	100	1	N	15	0	0	60	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
OAK HILL	Mr. Lida Blevins, Rt. 2 Box B3, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	2	0	0	35	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
OBIOS	Mr. Weldon Bare, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	2	0	0	19	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
OLO FIELDS	Mr. Burl Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 220, Fleetwood, NC 2B626	0	1	0	0	10	0	9B8	0	N	4	0	0	65	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
ORION	Mr. Sam Bowers, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 2B640	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	N	1	0	0	80	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y
PEAK VALLEY	Mr. Don McCoy, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	5	0	0	15	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PHOENIX	Mr. Jack Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 76, Warrensville, NC 2B693	0	0	0	0	4	0	110	0	N	9	0	0	036	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Mr. William F. Vannoy, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 2B6B4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PINE SWAMP	Mr. Emery Elliott, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 2B694	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	5	0	0	30	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	NN	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PLEASANT HOME	Mr. Author Pasley, Jr., Grassy Creek, NC 2B631	0	0	0	0	4	0	10	0	N	2	0	0	35	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PLEASANT VALLEY	Mr. Ward Ballou, Rt. 1 Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 2B631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PROSPERITY	None reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUND KNOB	Mr. John Miller, Rt. 2 Box 1BB, Fleetwood, NC 2B626	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SABBATH HOME	Mr. Thomas Ham, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	NN	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
STURGILLS	Mr. Ricky Little, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 2B643	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	12	0	0	62	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
THREE FORKS	Mr. Bill Farmer, Rt. 1, Cresont, NC 2B643	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	N	7	0	1	41	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
TRINITY	Mr. Kyle McNeil, PO Box 77, Oeep Gap, NC 2B61B	0	1	0	0	5	0	543	0	N	1	0	2	84	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y
TUCKEROALE	Mr. Lake Brooks, Rt. 2 Box 456-A, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	8	0	0	79	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
WAGONER	Mr. Russell Roark, Rt. 1 Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 2B644	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	N	4	0	0	40	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
WARRENSVILLE	Mr. Harold Ashley, PO Box 5, Warrensville, NC 2B693	0	0	0	0	24	0	B00	0	N	11	0	0	110	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N
WELCOME HOME	Mr. Fred McNeill, Rt. 1 Box 87, Crumpler, NC 2B617	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	6	65	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Dr. Rudy Curd, Rt. 2 Box 410, West Jefferson, NC 2B694	0	0	0	0	15	0	221	0	R	15	0	0	150	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y					
	TOTALS	0	7	0	1	235	0	9801	1		191	6	29	2378																		

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST ANNUAL SESSION

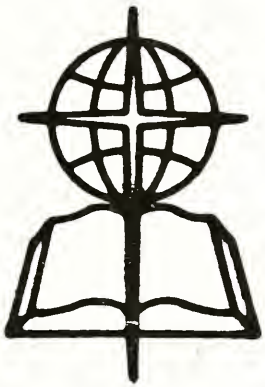
Ashe Baptist Association

Meeting on Friday, August 21, 1987
Host Churches, Round Knob & Bald Mountain
Meeting at Associational Campground

Saturday, August 22, 1987
Host Churches, Tuckerdale & Sturgills
Meeting at Tuckerdale

ONE HUNDRED AND FIRST ANNUAL SESSION

Ashe Baptist Association



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Host Churches, Round Knob & Bald Mountain
Meeting at Associational Campground

Saturday, August 22, 1987
Host Churches, Tuckerdale & Sturgills
Meeting at Tuckerdale

ONE HUNDRED AND SECOND ANNUAL SESSION

Friday, August 19, 1988
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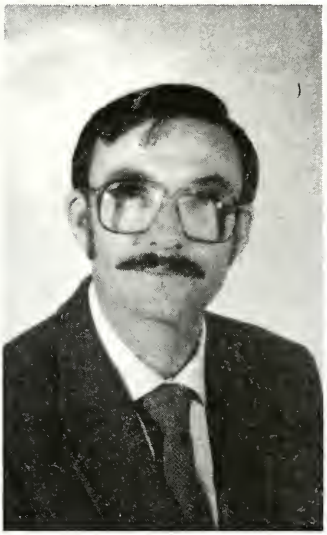

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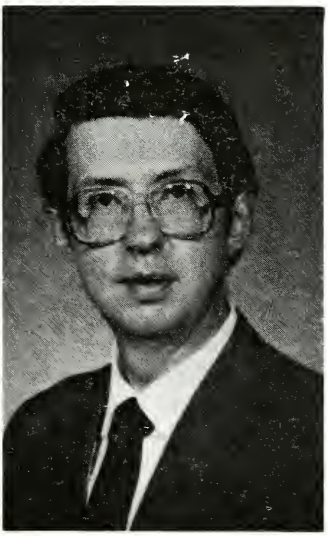

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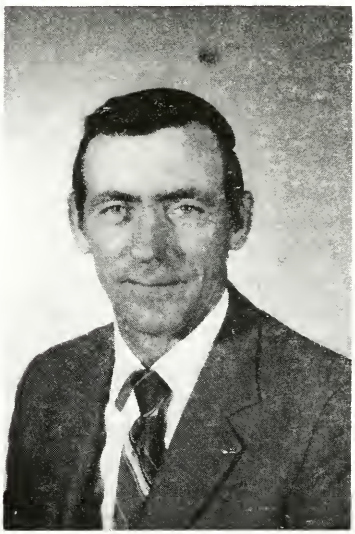

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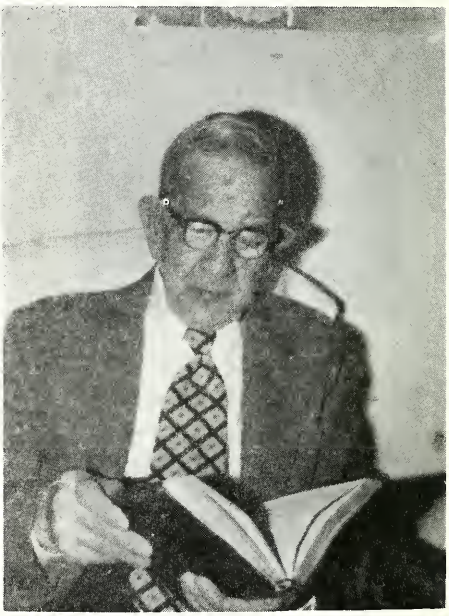
REV. W.E. DENNY



The Rev. W.E. Denny was called home November 16, 1986, after many years of faithful Christian service, beginning as Superintendent of the Sunday School at Landmark Baptist Church in 1910. He was ordained as a deacon in 1912, licensed by the church to preach in 1914, and ordained as a minister of the Gospel on March 27, 1915. He was called as pastor by the Glendale Springs Baptist Church in 1916. Soon he was serving four churches full time, usually riding his horse to keep his appointments. During his long ministry, Rev. Denny served a total of 18 churches as pastor, some of these for extended periods of time. He served Phoenix 20 years, Landmark 24 years, Friendship 24 years, Healing Springs 21 years, Tuckerdale 15 years, and Bristol 10 years. Other churches included Meadow View, Forest Home (now Warrensville), Pleasant Home, Orion, Little Helton, Smethport, Wagoner, Long Branch, Liberty Hill, Baptist Chapel, and Sturgills.

His long ministry bore much fruit and he had the privilege of seeing a very large number of people of all ages accept Christ as their Savior. To see them converted and baptized into the church was one of the greatest joys of his life.

He was recognized for his years of service during his life-time. One of the most thrilling to him was having a painting presented to the Ashe County Library by Kenneth Hudler, a good friend and Christian artist. The painting depicts him on his horse and was painted by Mr. Hudler from an old photograph. The Rev. M.D. Hart, an organizer of the award presentation, and the Rev. Carrol Burkett spoke at the dedication, praising him for his good works.

However, Rev. Denny took little personal credit for the success of his ministry, but would often quote from the 21st psalm, which reads in part: "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help, my help cometh from the Lord, which made Heaven and earth". He also gave much credit to his wife, Lura Phipps Denny, who stood with him in his life long battle against Satan. Much of the time it was her lot to stay home, working so that he could carry on his duties as a pastor and evangelist.

Rev. Denny always spoke well of his fellow ministers and of the older men of God who served before him. He was a firm believer in the work of the Ashe Baptist Association and served as moderator for 10 years. He was respected for his opinions and judgement and his wise counsel is surely missed.

During his last illness, he experienced heart failure. After being revived by his doctor and medical staff, he related one event in which he had felt that he was given a glimpse of that heavenly land which lies beyond the river of death. He said it was so different and so beautiful that he could not find words to describe it. Also, he recognized friends who long ago passed over. He mentioned seeing Franklin Barker and Elihu Tucker and said they were waiting for him. He expressed desire to join them and wanted all his friends and loved ones to meet him there where all will be forever with the Lord.

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JOHN WESLEY ELDRETH

John Wesley Eldreth, son of Wiley and Ellen Eldreth, born on February 22, 1910, deceased March 7, 1987. He was married to Gladys Irwin, February 8, 1935. To this union were born eleven children, of which two preceded him in death. Those living are Mrs. Rose Mary Phipps, Mr. Robert Wesley Eldreth, Mrs. Bettie Lou Belcher, Mrs. Joan Walters, Mrs. Arabella Testerman, Mrs. Angie Thompson, Tometta Teaster, Mrs. Inez Osborne, Mrs. Zora Hartman.

Wesley was a member of the Orion Baptist Church. Early in life he felt the call of God to preach and entered the Gospel ministry. He served the following churches: Glendale Springs, Bethel, Orion, Rockie Creek in Wilkes County, Round Knob, which he and Rev. Tommy Salmon organized, Vlagoner, which he started in the old school house, and served for 16 years. At this time they built the New Wagoner Church building down at the highway, a brick structure as it now stands. This was the pride and joy of Rev. John Wesley Eldreth. The Wagoner Baptist Church as it stands today, and for the years to come is a perpetual memorial to his long years of ministry to the church and community.

His pastorial ministry now belongs to the ages. He has now gone to be with the Lord to reap the rich reward of his ministry here on earth. His wife and children were supporters of his ministry, and to God be the Glory. Brother Eldreth was inactive in the ministry for many years, due to ill health. But he suffered his afflictions with patience.

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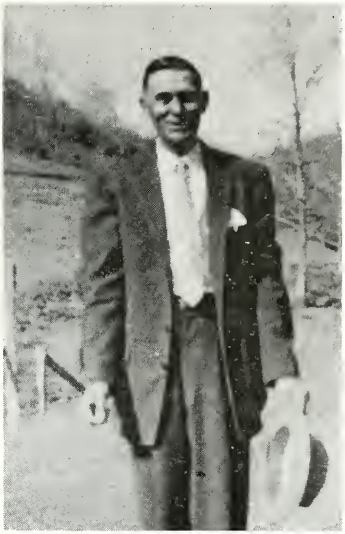

Willie Noel Gilley was born August 26, 1904 in the Bamboo Community of Watauga County to John Emory Gilley and Mary Jane Hartly Gilley.

At the age of 19, during a revival meeting he went up on a hill into a laurel patch and there he prayed and received Christ into his heart.

On August 26, 1934, he was ordained into the ministry at Mt. Vernon Baptist Church in Watauga.

On December 21, 1940, he was married to Edna Irene Miller in the Fleetwood Community of Ashe County.

On April 1, 1946, he with his family, moved to the North Beaver Creek Community and joined the North Beaver Baptist Church where he remained a faithful member until his last illness prevented him from going to church or being able to witness for his blessed Jesus whom he talked so much about. His last writings, which were becoming incoherent, were about the soon returning of our blessed Jesus and wanting people to be saved.

Surviving him are his wife, Edna, their five children, Joyce, James, Jerry, David, and Donald. Also seven grandchildren survive.

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REV. BILL McMILLIAN

Rev. Bill McMillian, pastor of Welcome Home Baptist Church went to be with the Lord on September 20, 1986. He was one who was loved and respected by all who knew him. Our loss is heaven's gain.

He was born September 13, 1947 to Lee and Grace McMillian. He accepted Christ at an early age and was in the church all his life. As a young husband and father of three daughters, he was very active in the church as a teacher and a member of a singing group.

He announced his call to the ministry and was soon called as pastor of Welcome Home Baptist Church who called for his ordination. His ordination was carried out by Oak Hill Church of which he was a member.

His wife, Betty Blevins McMillian was so proud of this young husband as he stood in the pulpit and told of God's great love for all mankind. Betty was a beautiful example of a wife who was supportive of her husband's ministry.

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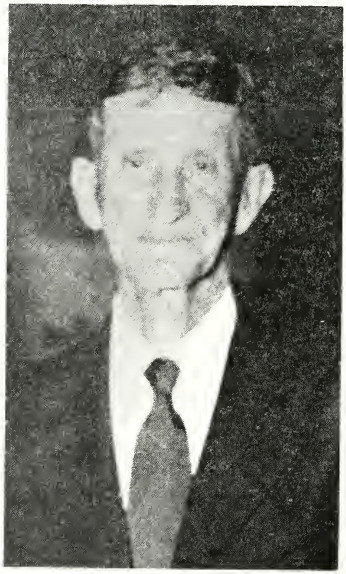
REV. WILLIAM E. SEXTON

Rev. William M. Sexton was ordained at Pleasant Chapel Church August 19, 1950. Avery Elliott; clerk, Rev. G.W. Shepherd, Rev. Roe Pasley, Rev. Frank Tucker and Rev. Tom Farmer, Moderator.

He was pastor at Sabbath Home Baptist Church, Chestnut Hill Church, Little Laurel Church, and Calvary Church.

Brother Willie, as he was called, loved the church and was dedicated to the work his Lord had called him to. He possessed a great zeal for sharing God's Word and leading the lost to a personal experience with Jesus Christ. He loved to share his excitement at the promise of our Lord to come again for His Bride the church. His voice is silent now so far as sharing the Good News from the pulpit but in the words of Hebrews 11:4, "he being dead yet speaketh." May God bless his memory to each of our hearts.



Orion Baptist Church was organized in 1911. Church property was donated by J.F. Dillard and E.D. Coldiron.

George M. Reeves served as moderator and J.F. Dillard served as church clerk from 1911 through 1962.

First deacons were: W.C. Absher, W.J. Bare, E.D. Coldiron, W.M. Dillard and W.H. Miller.

Orion Baptist Church cemetery property was also donated by J.F. Dillard.

Orion Baptist Church was remodeled in 1949. Rev. E.Z. Sexton served as pastor at this time. Mrs. W.H. Dillard served as church clerk from 1962 through 1985.

Deacons were: Wade Bare, Fields Bare, Jess Bare, W.H. Miller, Ed Jenkins, Sr., W.H. Dillard, Wiley Lambert.

Orion Baptist Church was again remodeled in 1987, Rev. John Leek serves as pastor and Mrs. Nancy Dillard Woodie serves as church clerk.

Deacons are: Fields Bare, Wade Bare (deceased), Wiley Lambert, Ed Jenkins, Jr., Russell Vannoy, Jim Hartley, David Dillard and Sam Bowers.

ROUND KNOB BAPTIST CHURCH

BALD MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CHURCH

Hosting jointly on Friday, August 21, 1987
at Associational Campground

STURGILLS BAPTIST CHURCH

TUCKERDALE BAPTIST CHURCH

Hosting jointly, Saturday, August 22, 1987 at Tuckerdale.

BALD MOUNTAIN BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

On March the 5th 1910, a large congregation met at the Lawrence School House and after singing by choir and prayer by brother Roby Burkette, brother P.H. Haire read from the second chapter of Ephesians taking as a text Matthew 16:18 from which he preached a very able sermon.

At the close of the sermon a Missionary Baptist Church was organized to be known as Bald Mountain Missionary Baptist Church. Brethren Roby Burkette, J.M. Hayse and P.H. Haire assisted in the organization. Then the brethren present called P.H. Haire as moderator pro-tem, also called brother I.E. Duncan as clerk pro-tem and as they being thus organized, brother P.H. Haire called for letters of all people present that wished to go into an organization of the church at said place and said order and faith and the following names and letters were handed in and read. Also, where said letters were granted from.

These are the names of all persons that went into the organization of the Bald Mountain Missionary Baptist Church on March the 3rd, 1910 at the Lawrence School House.

Charles E. Houck, Naomi Houck, J.W. Duncan, Ellen Duncan, Elizabeth Duncan, Albert Houck, C.E. Trivette, Florance Trivette, Rosa Hopkins, Rhoda Holman, Alice Holman, Mary E. Lewis, Sarah Lazenberry, Rachel Roten, Rosa Roten, Rosebud Campbelle, Wm. Houck, Martha Houck, Martisha Howell, Ada Holman, S.G. Trivette, F.R. Trivette, Delia Trivette, Wm. C. Trivette.

Thus being organized by covenant as recorded on page 2. Then being ready for other business entered into conference and transacted business as follows.

April 2, 1910, J.A. Houck joined by letter from Buffalo Church.

Bald Mountain Missonary Baptist Church: March 5, 1910.

By motion of brother Ching Trivette the church went into an election for pastor until September meeting and the result was the election of Brother Roby Burkette and Brother T.M. Hayse. Then on motion the church went into the election of Clerk until September meeting. The result was the election of J.W. Duncan. By motion Brethren C.E. Trivette and C.E. Houck set apart as deacons.

By motion April meeting was set apart as the time for ordaining the deacons. Then the doors of the church was opened and none came forward. Then on motion moved and carried to adjourn to next regular conference. Minutes approved in regular conference April 2, 1910.

J.W. Duncan, Church Clerk

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Sylvia Hopkins

ROUND KNOB CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

Round Knob Baptist Church was organized in 1940. The leaders were Rev. Tommy Salmons and Rev. Wesley Eldreth. The church, which was organized to minister to the Boggs Community, first met in the Boggs Schoolhouse.

Later, land was purchased from Everette Mash to build the original building. The people of the community built this building which was used until 1967 when a larger building was needed.

In 1967, the present church building was constructed by the people of the community with the help of some contractors. Originally, there were three (3) Sunday School rooms. In May 1980, the church voted to enlarge that space to six (6) rooms and carpet the floors and buy new classroom furniture.

After much hard labor which involved the removing of dirt from under the church by wheelbarrow, (the men of the church and community doing most of the work), the much needed educational space was provided and has been in use ever since 1980.

Round Knob Church has been blessed to have had the following men serve the church as pastor during these years: Rev. Tommy Salmons; Rev. Wesley Eldreth; Rev. Finley Miller; Rev. E.Z. Sexton; Rev. Jewel Blevins; Rev. John Davis; Rev. Jimmy Caparolie; and Rev. J.E. Owens who currently serves as pastor.

Recently, the church voted to have stained glass windows installed within the next two months.

Our two oldest members are Katy Smith who is 90 years of age and Sadie Severt who is in her 86th year.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Mary Miller

TUCKERDALE BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

During the Fall of 1915 members of the Windfall Baptist Church, under the leadership of Rev. George Reeves and Rev. Elihu Tucker, met in the Tuckerdale Schoolhouse (which stood on same property as church) for a revival. There were several professions from the Tuckerdale community, so they agreed to organize a more convenient "meeting place". Thus, Tuckerdale Baptist Church was organized December 20, 1915 with eight charter members: Rev. Elihu Tucker, Mr. & Mrs. H.C. Tucker, Mr. & Mrs. James Wagoner, Mrs. Nannie Tucker, Mrs. Malissia Darnell (named the church) and Mrs. Lydia Caudill.

The original building was completed in 1917 but has had many changes and additions through the years. There was only a foot-bridge and railroad tressels to get across Big Horse Creek to the church so in 1945 under the leadership of Rev. M.D. Hart, the building was moved around and a large bridge built. In 1982 a new steel bridge was erected.

Tuckerdale Baptist Church has had outstanding men as pastors: Rev. Elihu Tucker, Rev. W.E. Denny, Rev. James Sexton, Rev. T.M. Hayes, Rev. E.A. Eller, Rev. Ezekial Blevins, Rev. M.D. Hart, Rev. R.C. Ashley, Rev. Frank Tucker (served 32 years) and presently Rev. Lloyd Day who came in 1984. Present membership is 167.

Tuckerdale Baptist Church is proud of its heritage and thankful to God for all His many blessings.

Prepared and Submitted by,
Mrs. Jeanette C. Davis (Clerk)

STURGILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

Sturgills Baptist Church was organized Sunday, February 19, 1933 by a group of concerned Christians who felt the need for a church (Missionary) in the community.

The organizational meeting took place at the home of Brother Isom Sturgill. The presbytery consisted of Rev. E. Blevins, Rev. W.E. Denny, Rev. E.A. Eller, and Rev. Arthur Powers.

The following became charter members of the newly formed church: Rev. R.L. Dollinger, Rev. R.J. Sturgill, Brother C.W. Sizemore, Sister Mary Sturgill, and Sister Lanta Sturgill. All of these have gone to be with our Lord.

Rev. E. Blevins read to them the Articles Of Faith. They were found to be orthodox in principle. Rev. Denny read to them the Church Covenant which was accepted. Therefore, they were pronounced a legal organized church. Each could present a letter.

Since organization, several members have been added to the church by baptism and transfer of membership. During the years we have lost 2 ministers. Rev. R.L. Dollinger, and Rev. A.P. Howell. The following have also joined that heavenly host: Deacons, Howard McClure, Fred Little, Arthur Howell, and Edd Spencer. We have 2 ministers who hold membership in Sturgills Church. Rev. Hayes McClure and Rev. Roy Segraves.

The following preachers have served as pastor over the years: Revs. E. Blevins, Leford Stikes, Estel Eller, Ambrose Miller, Buford Hash, Paul Phipps, Roe Pasley, Donley Hart, E.Z. Sexton, W.M. Brackette, W.E. Denny, Warner Eller, Alvin Howell, Gene Webb, and our present pastor, Lloyd Day.

Our church was carried by flood waters down the creek during the 1940 flood. it was successfully brought back to its original site.

There have been numerous improvements during the years: Church wall-boarded, New Floor Carpet, New Padded Pews, Sunday School Rooms,, Church Bricked, Parking Lot Paved, Bath Rooms Installed, and Oil Heat.

There is no history available of the building of the church. The land was purchased from R.L. Dolinger and the deed was made to the Ashe Baptist Association. Services were held in an old Mill House until the church was built.

Prepared and Submitted by,
Mrs. Edna Wyatt

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OLD FIELDS - Norma Yates, Flavil Phillips, Worth Phillips, Burl Hartzog, Cline Greene
ORION - Theresa Bare, Ruth Calhoun, Virginia Sexton, Clyde Dillard
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy, Stella McCoy
PHOENIX - Joe Montague, Hallie Montague, Raymond Riddle, Clara Riddle
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ROUND KNOB - Mary Miller, Allen Miller, Ruth Smith, Walter Smith
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Rt. 1, Box 777, Boone, NC 28607
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Rt. 1, Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-3293
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FRIENDLY GROVE - Mr. Dewey Campbell
PO Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5951
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Todd, NC 28684 877-5256
NEW RIVER - Mr. A.T. Arnold
Rt. 1, Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3538
NORTH BEAVER - Mr. Bob Neaves
PO Box 206, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9735
OAK HILL - Mr. Junior Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3387
OBIDS - Mrs. Vilena South
Rt. 2, Box 592, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2536
OLD FIELDS - Mrs. Dianne Brown
Rt. 2, Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2627
ORION - Mrs. Betty Jenkins
Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9758
PHOENIX - Mr. Bob Calhoun
Rt. 3, Box 26-B, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3004
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ROUND KNOB - Mrs. Anna Belle Cox
Rt. 2, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4681
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TRINITY - Mrs. Debbie Marshall
General Delivery, Vilas, NC 28692 704-297-1584
TUCKERDALE - Mr. Edison Harless
Lansing, NC 28643 384-2368
WAGONER - Mr. Russell Roark
Rt. 1, Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - Mrs. Sally Ashley
PO Box 5, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3957
WELCOME HOME - Mr. Claude Neaves
1450 North Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640
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BALD MOUNTAIN - Mrs. Imogene Stevens	877-1070
BEAVER CREEK - Ms. Joyce Grubb	246-4192
BETHEL - Miss Patricia Goodman	877-3300
BIG FLATTS - Mrs. Maymie Trivette	877-4852
BIG LAUREL - Mrs. Zenith Roten	385-1448
BLUE RIDGE - Mrs. Patricia Hayworth	877-4831
BRISTOL - Miss Maude Lyalls	982-2222
BUFFALO - Mrs. Ruth Trivette	246-9409
CALVARY - Mrs. Ina Ruth Anderson	246-4531
CLIFTON - Mrs. Gale Jones	385-3512
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mrs. Joyce Greer	246-7568
FRIENDLY GROVE - Mrs. Irene Campbell	246-5951
FRIENDSHIP - Mrs. Gladys Shatley	982-2245
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Miss Sandra Elliott	982-9235
GRASSY CREEK - Mrs. Sandra Bowers	579-2961
HEALING SPRINGS - Mrs. Elaine Cox	982-3980
LANDMARK - Ms. Angela Cheek	384-4391
LAUREL KNOB - Mrs. Joanne Goodman	877-5453
LIBERTY GROVE - Mrs. Lorna Scott	877-4579
LITTLE HELTON - Ms. Karen S. Parsons	384-2348
LONG BRANCH - Mrs. Virginia Poe	
MIDWAY - Mrs. Jeanna Furches	246-3710
MISSION HOME - Mrs. Nelda Jordan	877-4406
MOUNT OLIVE - Ms. Betty Dean	877-4416
NEW RIVER - Mrs. JoAnne Blackburn	982-3492
NORTH BEAVER - Miss Kim Blackburn	982-2373
OAK HILL - Mrs. Sally Blevins	982-3590
OBIDS - Mrs. Karen Williams	982-2225
OLD FIELDS - Miss Cindy Brooks	877-2495
ORION - Mrs. Nancy Woodie	246-9897
PHOENIX - Mrs. Juanita Garvey	982-3721
PILOT MOUNTAIN - Mrs. Edith Byland	262-1035
PINE SWAMP - Mrs. Susan Roland	
PLEASANT HOME - Ms. Rachel Young	384-2280
ROUND KNOB - Mr. Fred Cox	877-4778
STURGILLS - Mrs. Ruby Spencer	384-2193
THREE FORKS - Mrs. Zenith Roten	385-1448

TRINITY - Mrs. Barbara Murdock	704-264-0564
TUCKERDALE - Mrs. Alma Childers	384-3359
WAGONER - Ms. Teresa Roark	982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - Ms. Sherri Ashley	384-3131
WELCOME HOME - Mrs. Lena Neaves	
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Mrs. Maureen Blackburn	246-7067

DIRECTORY OF BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS

BUFFALO - Mr. Lester Jones Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	877-5415
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mr. Larry Ballou PO Box 186, Jefferson, NC 28640	
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PHOENIX - Mr. Howard Turnmire Rt. 1, Box 32-A, Lansing, NC 28643	384-3140
TRINITY - Mr. Ronnie Dowell Rt. 1, Box 59-B, Deep Gap, NC 28618	704-264-7775

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NORTH BEAVER - Mrs. Jackie Miller Rt 2, Box 191, Fleetwood, NC 28626	877-4223
PHOENIX - Mrs. Karen Riddle Rt. 1, Box 376, West Jefferson, NC 28694	877-4986
TRINITY - Mrs. Margaret Jewel Rt. 1, Box 57, Deep Gap, NC 28618	704-262-5228
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Mrs. John Weaver PO Box 153, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-9323

DIRECTORY OF CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS

FRIENDSHIP - Mr. Robert Marsh Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	982-2363
MIDWAY - Mrs. Lois Jones Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-9261

MISSION HOME - Mr. Wayne Testerman, Jr.	
Rt. 1, Box 173, Todd, NC 28684	877-4214
OLD FIELDS - Mr. James I. Brooks	
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PHOENIX - Mr. Lynn McCoy	
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TRINITY - Mr. Dale Blevins	
PO Box 81, Deep Gap, NC 28618	264-9641
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(Place/Preacher) (Chmn.) Rev. Bill Burchette, Mrs. Worth Phillips, Mr. Thomas Elliott
(Resolutions) (Chmn.) Mr. Paul Hopkins, Rev. Claybern Roten, Rev. Thomas Shatley

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American Bible Society.....Rev. Gary Watson
Baptist Children's Homes.....Mrs. Joann Goodman
Baptist Homes For Aging.....Rev. John Goodman
Baptist Hospital.....Rev. Jerry Burleson
Cooperative Program.....Mr. Homer Murdock
Christian Literature.....Mrs. Cathy Bower
Christian Education.....Mr. Stewart Scott
Pasor's Salary & Retirement.....Rev. John Leek
Temperance & Public Morals.....Mr. Jim Lambert
Biblical Recorder.....Mrs. Linda Eller
SBC Annuity.....Rev. Ervel Jones
Christian Action League.....Mr. Delmas Parker
State Missions.....Rev. Wayne Jones
Home Missions.....Mrs. Lois Jones
Foreign Missions.....Mrs. Dianne Ballou
Associational Missions.....Rev. Homer Murdock

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(Chmn.) Rev. Dean Watson, Rev. Thomas Shatley, Rev. Jack Miller, Mrs. Martha Brown, Johnny Roten, Ernie Lambert

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(Chmn.) Rev. Gary Teague, J.C. Ashley, Rev. Johnny Goodman, Rev. Bill Burchette, James Childers

ASSOCIATIONAL PROPERTIES COMM.
(Chmn.) Jim Vannoy, Larry Greer, Ernest Blevins

ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH COUNCIL
(Chmn.) Rev. Jimmy Rash, Miss Willa Dean Church, Ken Gardner, Terry Hartzog, Mrs. Barbara Hodges, Mrs. Cindy Davis, Mr. Lynn McCoy, Ms. Jerri Bard, Mr. Butch McNeill

PROGRAM COMMITTEE
(Chmn.) Derwin Elliott, Mrs. Lenna Brooks, Mrs. Freda Goodman, Rev. Garrett Mahaffey, Wayne Patrick

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(Chmn.) Rev. Jimmy Warden, Rev. Billy Joe Blevins, Mr. Bob Calhoun, Mr. Bob Marsh, Mr. Rick Gardner

CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS COMM.
(Chmn.) Charles Caudill, Burl Hartzog, Rev. Bill Day, Rev. Ken Morris, Jack Hardin

ASSOCIATIONAL TRUSTEES
(Chmn.) Mr. James Vannoy, Mr. Paul Hager, Mr. Lloyd Witherspoon, Mr. Ralph Davis, Rev. Earl Sheets, Sr.

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC COMMITTEE
(Chair-person) Mrs. Margaret Vance, Dewey Campbell, Claude Neaves

ASHE BAPTIST SUMMER CAMP COMMITTEE

3 YEAR TERM: Joy McClure - Rev. David Testerman - Joann Swift
2 YEAR TERM: Nancy Phipps - Rev. Wayne Jones - Jack Ashley
1 YEAR TERM: Linda Craven - Rev. Jimmy Rash - Earl McNeill, Jerry South

ORGANIZATIONAL OFFICERS

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Director.....Rev. Ervel Jones
Adult (18 Yrs. up).....Rev. Jack Pugh
Youth (12-17 Yrs.).....Mrs. Lois Jones
Children (Older/10-11 Yrs.).....Mrs. Margaret Vance
Children (Middle/ 8-9 Years).....Rev. Ken Morris
Children (Younger/ 6-7 Years).....Jeana Furches
Preschool (Birth-5 Yrs.).....Mrs. Geraldine Lambert

CHURCH TRAINING
Director.....Mrs. Gwen Elliott
Adult.....Mrs. Freda Goodman
Youth.....Johnny Brown
Children.....Ronnie Sturgill
Preschool.....Linda Ball

BROTHERHOOD
President.....Mr. Jimmy Lambert
Mission Study Chairman.....Mr. Lynn McCoy
RA Leader.....Mr. J.E. Blevins

MUSIC
Director of Music & Training.....Mrs. Margaret Vance
Pianist.....Mrs. Ina Anderson
Organist.....Mrs. Maureen Blackburn

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSIST TEAM

Sunday School Director.....Rev. Ervel Jones
Adult Director.....Rev. Jack Pugh
Youth Director.....Mrs. Lois Jones
Children's Director.....Mrs. Margaret Vance
Preschool Director.....Mrs. Geraldine Lambert

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BALD MOUNTAIN - Mrs. Paulette Poe
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BUFFALO - Mrs. Joann Swift
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CALVARY - Mrs. Pat Miller
Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9059
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MISSION HOME - Mrs. Nelda Jordan
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WAGONER - Ms. Dianne Sheets
Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2320
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Mrs. John (Kathy) Bower 919-246-7868
Mrs. Stewart (Sally) Scott 919-246-5532
Mrs. Wade (Imogene) Stevens 919-877-1070
Mrs. Lavern (Martha) Watson 919-877-4603

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1987-1988

I. EDUCATION AND PROMOTION

1. Sunday School.....225.00
2. Church Training.....175.00
3. Brotherhood.....100.00
4. WMU.....75.00
5. Church Music.....50.00
6. Stewardship Promotion.....50.00
7. Vacation Bible School.....250.00
8. Preacher's School.....250.00
9. Evangelism.....500.00
10. Key Leadership.....150.00
11. Associational Youth Program.....200.00

SUB-TOTAL $2,025.00

II. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE:

1. Office Equipment.....1,100.00
2. Printing & Supplies.....1,400.00
3. Postage.....1,200.00
4. Associational Calendar.....200.00
5. Upkeep & Cleaning.....200.00

SUB-TOTAL $4,100.00

III. SALARIES & ALLOWANCES

1. Director of Missions.....13,200.00
2. Retirement.....2,250.00
3. Medical & Life Insurance.....3,000.00
4. Car Allowance.....1,200.00
5. Social Security Allowance.....2,500.00
6. Conventions & Conferences.....1,500.00
7. Secretarial Help.....4,420.00
8. Clerk/Treasurer.....900.00
9. Employees S.S. Tax (Office Secretary).....316.03
10. Employees S.S. Tax (Assn. Clerk).....64.35

SUB-TOTAL $29,350.38

IV. BULDING & EQUIPMENT:

1. Utilities.....2,500.00
2. Insurance On Assn. Parsonage.....325.00
3. Building Repair.....500.00

SUB-TOTAL $3,325.00

V. MISCELLANEOUS

1. Mission Projects	100.00
2. Miscellaneous	400.00
SUB-TOTAL	$500.00
GRAND TOTAL	$39,300.38

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1 JULY 1986 - 30 JUNE 1987

Balance on hand 1 July 1986	$ 629.70
Received from the churches	35,406.31
Received from the Convention	1,200.00
Received from the Minute Books	1,764.25
Miscellaneous Receipts	1,464.10
TOTAL ON HAND RECEIVED	$40,464.36
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Director of Missions salary	12,004.20
Automobile expense	1,196.00
Utilities	2,500.16
Convention expense	900.12
Cleaning supplies	200.20
Postage	1,027.92
Annuity Board, retirement	2,232.00
Convention, medical & life insurance	2,917.40
Office help	4,070.00
Calendars	188.23
Office Equipment (typewriter $650.00)	1,024.00
Printing and supplies	1,656.03
Associational Clerk/Treasurer	900.00
Parsonage repair and maintenance ($1275.89 balance of indebtness)	1,899.61
Insurance on parsonage, office & contents	306.00
FICA taxes on employees	356.15
Seminary Extension	140.38
Social Security allowance	2,500.00
Vacation Bible School	235.98
Annuity supper (reimbursed by Convention)	306.50
Printing minute books	1,983.14
Miscellaneous expenses	339.46
TOTAL AMOUNT PAID OUT	38,883.48
BALANCE ON HAND 30 June 1987	$ 1,580.88

CONTRIBUTIONS TO ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
1 July 1986 thru 30 June 1987

Apple Grove	50.00
Bald Mountain	1,708.45
Baptist Home	-0-
Beaver Creek	427.69
Bethel	430.00
Big Flatts	110.00
Big Laurel	290.00
Blue Ridge	100.00
Bristol	1,295.79
Buffalo	200.04
Calvary	90.00
Chestnut Hill	-0-
Clifton	512.78
Farmer Memorial	-0-
Fletcher Memorial	4,935.79
Friendly Grove	3,100.00
Friendship	1,693.00
Glendale Springs	180.00
Grassy Creek	600.00
Healing Springs	771.38
Landmark	240.00
Laurel Knob	561.77
Liberty Grove	900.00
Liberty Hill	-0-
Little Helton	180.00
Long Branch	100.00
Midway	3,407.74
Mission Home	999.94
Mount Olive	143.00
New River	1,317.43
North Beaver	1,233.53
Oak Hill	120.00
Obids	98.00
Old Fields	1,000.00
Orion	699.06
Peak Valley	232.10

Phoenix	999.96
Pilot Mountain	255.73
Pine Swamp	150.00
Pleasant Home	523.46
Pleasant Valley	-0-
Prosperity	-0-
Round Knob	275.63
Sabbath Home	-0-
Sturgills	-0-
Three Forks	300.00
Trinity	1,792.83
Tuckerdale	600.00
Wagoner	180.00
Warrensville	425.00
Welcome Home	600.00
West Jefferson First	1,450.04

GRAND TOTAL $35,280.14

(Note)

Sturgills contributed $500.00 to Associational Missions this year. Their check reached the associational office after June 30 which explains why it is not shown above.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO ASHE BAPTIST CAMP
July 1, 1986 thru June 30, 1987

Bald Mountain	240.00
Big Laurel	60.00
Blue Ridge	100.00
Bristol	100.00
Buffalo	50.00
Calvary	15.00
Clifton	50.00
Friendship	360.00
Friendly Grove	300.00
Grassy Creek	180.00
Laurel Knob	50.00
Liberty Grove	120.00
Mount Olive	202.00
Mission Home	240.00

New River.....328.70
North Beaver.....172.00
Obids.....160.00
Orion.....175.00
Pleasant Home.....90.00
Round Knob.....30.00
Three Forks.....120.00
Tuckerdale.....144.00
Wagoner.....120.00
West Jefferson First.....600.00

SUB TOTAL $4.006.70

Mr. & Mrs. L.F. Anderson, Jr.....200.00
Mrs. Juanita Garvey.....200.00
Mr. & Mrs. David McClure.....57.00
Union Baptist Church.....87.00
Stone Mt. Baptist Assn.....39.00
East Iredell Elem. School.....25.00
Baptist Home Church (N.W.).....34.00
Tri-County Paving.....50.00

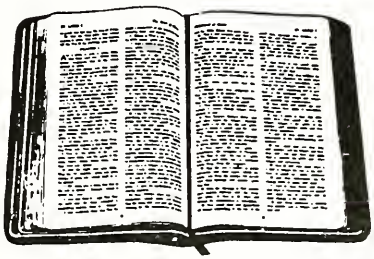
SUB TOTAL $692.00

GRAND TOTAL $4,698.70

Addendum I - ARTICLES OF FAITH
(The Baptist State Faith and Message as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963)

THE BAPTIST FAITH and MESSAGE

A statement adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention



Baptist are a people who profess a living faith. This faith is rooted and grounded in Jesus Christ who is "the same yesterday and today and forever." Therefore, the sole authority for faith and practice among Baptists is Jesus Christ whose will is revealed in the Holy Scriptures.

A living faith must experience a growing understanding of truth and must be continually interpreted and related to the needs of each new generation. Throughout their history Baptist bodies' both large and small, have issued statements of faith which comprise a consensus of their beliefs. Such statements have never been regarded as complete, infallible statements of faith, nor as official creeds carrying mandatory authority. Thus this generation of Southern Baptists is in historic succession of intent and purpose as it endeavors to state for its time and theological climate those articles of the Christian faith which are most surely held among us.

Baptists emphasize the soul's competency before God, freedom in religion, and the priesthood of the believer. However, this emphasis should not be interpreted to mean that there is an absence of certain definite doctrines that Baptists believe, cherish, and with which they have been and are now closely identified.

It is the purpose of this statement of faith and message to set forth certain teachings which we believe.

The Scriptures

The Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is the record of God's revelation of Himself to many. It is a perfect treasure of divine instruction. It has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter.

Ex. 24:4; Deut. 4:1-2; 17:19; Josh. 8:34; Psalm 19:7-10; 119:11; 89; 105; 140; It reveals the principles by which God judges us; and therefore is, and will remain to the end of the world, the true center of Christian union, and the supreme standard by which all human conduct, creeds, and religious opinions should be tried. The criterion by which the Bible is to be interpreted is Jesus Christ.

Isa. 34:16; 40:8; Jer. 15:16; 36; Matt. 5:17-18; 22-29; Luke 21;33; 44-46; John 5:39; 16:13-15; 17:17 Acts 2:16 ff.; 17:11; Rom. 15:4 16:25-26; 2Tim. 3:15-17; Heb. 1:1-2; 4:12; 1 Peter 1:25; 2 Peter 1:19-21

God

There is one and only one living and true God. He is an intelligent, spiritual, and personal Being, the Creator, Redeemer, Preserver, and Ruler of the universe. God is infinite in holiness and all other perfections. To Him we owe the highest love, reverence, and obedience. The eternal God reveals Himself to us a Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, with distinct personal attributes, but without division of nature, essence, or being.

A. God the Father

God as Father reigns with providential care over His universe, His creatures and the flow of the stream of human history according to the purpose of His grace. He is all powerful, all loving, and all wise. God is Father in truth to those who become children of God through faith in Jesus Christ. He is fatherly in His attitude toward all men.

Gen. 1:1; 2:7; Ex. 3:14; 6:2-3; 15:11 ff.; 20:1 ff.; Lev. 22:2; Deut. 6:4; 32:6; 1 Chron. 29:10; Psalm 19:1-3; Isa. 43:3, 15;64:8 Jer. 10:10;, 17:13; Matt. 6:9 ff.; 7:11; 23:9; 28:19; Mark 1:9-11; John 4:24; 5:26; 14:6-13; 17:1-8; Acts 1:7; Rom. 8:14-15; 1 Cor. 8:6; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 4:6; Col. 1:15; 1 Tim. 1:17; Heb. 11:6; 12:9; 1 Peter 1:17; 1 John 5:7

B. God the Son

Christ is the eternal Son of God. In His incarnation as Jesus Christ he was conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. Jesus perfectly revealed and did the will of God, taking upon Himself the demands and necessities of human nature and identifying Himself completely with mankind yet without sin. He honored the divine law by His personal obedience, and in His death on the cross He made provision for the redemption of men from sin. He was raised from the dead with a glorified body and appeared to His disciples as the person who was with them before His crucifixion. He ascended into Heaven and is now exalted at the right hand of God where He is the One Mediator, partaking of the nature of God and of man, and in whose Person is effected the reconciliation between God and man. He will return in power and glory to judge the world and to consummmate His redemptive mission. He now dwells in all believers as the living and ever present Lord.

Gen. 18:1 ff.; Psalm 2:7 ff.; 110:1 ff.; Isa. 7:14; 53; Matt. 1:18-23; 3:17; 8:29; 11:27; 14:33; 16:16; 27; 17:5; 27; 28:1-6; 19; Mark 1:1; 3:11; Luke 1:35; 4:41; 22:70; 24:46; John 1:1-18; 29; 10:30; 38; 11:25-27; 12:44-50; 14:7-11; 16:15-16; 28; 17:1-5; 21-22; 20:1-20; 28; Acts 1:9; 2:22-24; 7:55-56; 9:4-5; 20; Rom. 1:3-4; 3:23-26; 5:6-21; 8:1-3; 34; 10-4; 1 Cor. 1:30; 2:2; 8:6; 15:1-8; 24-28; 2 Cor. 5:19-21; Gal. 4:4-5; Eph. 1:20; 3:11; 4:7-10; Phil. 2: 5-11; Col. 1: 13-22; 2:9; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 1 Tim. 2:5-6; 3:16; Titus 2:13-14; Heb. 1:1-3; 4:14-15; 7:14-28; 9:12-15; 24:28; 12:2; 13:8; 1 Peter 2:21-25; 3:22; 1 John 1:7-9; 3:2; 4:14-15; 5:9; 2 John 7-9; Rev. 1: 13-16; 5:9-14; 12:10-11; 13:8; 19:16

C. God the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of God. He inspired holy men of old to write the scriptures. Through illumination He enables me to understand truth. He exalts Christ. He convicts of sin, of righteousness and of judgement. He calls men to the Saviour, and effects regeneration. He cultivates Christian characters, comforts believers, and bestows the spiritual gifts by which they serve God through His church. He seals the believers unto the day of final redemption. His presence in the Christian is the assurance of God to bring the believers into the fulness of the stature of Christ. He enlightens and empowers the believer and the church in worship, evangelism, and service.

Gen. 1:2; Judg. 14:6; Job 26:13; Psalm 51:11; 139; 7 ff.; Isa. 61:1-3; Joel 2: 28-32; Matt. 1:18; 3:16; 4:1; 12:28-32; 28:19; Mark 1:10; 12; Luke 1:35; 4:1; 18-19; 11:13; 12:12; 24-49; John 4:24; 14: 16-17; 26; 15:26; 16:7-14; Acts 1:8; 2: 1-4; 38; 4:31; 5:3; 6:3; 7:55; 8:17; 39; 10:44; 13:2; 15:28; 16:6; 19:1-6; Rom. 8:9-11; 14-16; 26-27; 1 Cor. 2:10-14; 3:16; 12:3-11; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 1:13-14; 4:30; 5:18; 1 Thes. 5:19; 1 Tim. 3:16; 4:1; 2 Tim. 1:14; 3:16; Heb. 9:8; 14:2; Peter 1-21; 1 John 4:13; 5:6-7; Rev. 1:10; 22:17

Men

Man was created by the special act of God, in his own image, and is the crowning work of His creation. In the beginning man was innocent of sin and was endowed by His Creator with freedom of choice. By his free choice man sinned against God and brought sin into the human race. Through the temptation of Satan man trangressed the command of God, and fell from his original innocence; whereby his posterity inherit a nature and an environmental inclined toward sin, and as soon as they are capable of moral action become transgressors and are under condemnation. Only the grace of God can bring man into His holy fellowship and enable man to fulfill the creative purpose of God. The sacredness of human personality is evident in that God created man in His own image, and in that Christ died for man; therefore every man possesses dignity and is worthy of respect and Christian love.

Gen. 1:26-30; 2:5; 7; 18-22; 3; 9-6; Psalm 1; 8:3-6; 32:1-5; 51:5; Isa. 6:5; Jer. 17:5; Matt. 16:26; Acts 17:26-31; Rom. 1:19-32; 3:10-18; 23; 5; 6; 12; 19; 6:6; 7:14-25; 8:14-18; 1 Cor. 1:21-31; 15:19; 21-22; Eph. 2:1-22; 3:9-11

Salvation

Salvation involves the redemption of the whole man, and is offered freely to all who accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, who by His own blood obtained eternal redemption for the believer. In its broadest sense salvation includes regeneration, sanctification, and glorification.

A. Regeneration, or the new birth, is a work of God's grace whereby believers become new creatures in Christ Jesus. It is a change of heart wrought by the Holy Spirit through conviction of sin, to which the sinner responds in repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Repentance and faith are inseparable experiences of grace. Repentance is a genuine turning from sin toward God. Faith is the acceptance of Jesus Christ and commitment of the entire personality to Him as Lord and Saviour. Justification is God's gracious and full acquittal upon principles of His righteousness of all sinners who repent and believe in Christ. Justification brings the believer into a relationship of peace and favor with God.

B. Sanctification is the experience, beginning in regeneration, by which the believer is set apart to God's purposes, and is enabled to progress toward moral and spiritual perfection through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit dwelling in him. Growth in grace should continue throughout the regenerate person's life.

C. Glorification is the culmination of salvation and is the final blessed and abiding state of the redeemed.

Gen. 3:15; Ex. 3:14-17; 6:2-8; Matt. 1:21; 4:17; 16:21-26; 27:22 to 28; 6; Luke 1:68-69; 2:28-32; John 1:11-14; 29; 3:3-21; 36; 5;24; 10:9; 28-29; 15:1-16; 17:17; Acts 2:21; 4:12; 15:11; 16:30-31; 17:30-31; 20:32; Rom. 1:16-18; 2:4; 3:23-25; 4:3 ff.; 5:8-10; 6:1-23; 8:1-18; 29-39; 10:9-10; 13:11-14; 1 Cor. 1:18; 30; 6: 19-20; 15:10; 2 Cor. 5:17-20; Gal. 2:20; 3:13, 5:22-25; 6:15; Eph. 1:7; 2:8-22; 4:11-16; Phil. 2:12-13; Col. 1:9-22; 3:1 ff.; 1 Thes. 5:23-24; 2 Tim. 1:12; Titus 2:11-14; Heb. 2:1-3; 5:8-9; 9:24-28; 11:1-12; 8; 14; James 2:14-16; 1 Peter 1:2-23; 1 John 1:6 to 2:11; Rev. 3:20; 21:1 to 22:5

God's Purpose and Grace

Election is the gracious purpose of God, according to which He regenerates, sanctifies, and glorifies sinners. It is consistent with the free agency of man, and comprehends all the means in connection with the end. It is a glorious display of God's sovereign goodness, and is infinitely wise, holy, and unchangeable. It excludes boasting and promotes humility.

All true believers endure to the end. Those whom God has accepted in Christ, and sanctified by His Spirit, will never fall away from the state of grace, but shall persevere to the end. Believers may fall into sin through neglect and temptation, whereby they grieve the Spirit, impair their graces and comforts, bring reproach on the cause of Christ, and temporal judgements on themselves, yet they shall be kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-8; Sam. 8:4-7; 19-22; Isa. 5:1-7; Jer. 31:31 ff.; Matt. 16:18-19; 21:28-45; 24:22; 31; 25:34; Luke 1:68-79; 2:29-32; 19:41-44; 24:44-48; John 1:12-14; 3:16; 5:24; 6:44-45; 65; 10:27-29; 15; 16; 17:6; 12:17-18; Acts 20:32; Rom. 5:9-10; 8:28-39; 10:12-15;

11:5-7; 26-36; 1 Cor. 1:1-2; 15:24-28; Eph. 1:4-23; 2:1-10; 3:1-11; Col. 1:12-14; 2 Thes. 2:13-14; 2 Tim. 1:12; 2:10; 19; Heb. 11:39; 12:2; 1 Peter 2-5; 13; 2:4-10; 1 John 1:7-9; 2:19; 3:2

The Church

A New Testament church of the Lord Jesus Christ is a local body of baptized believers who are associated by covenant in the faith and fellowship of the gospel, observing the two ordinances of Christ, committed to His teachings, exercising the gifts, rights, and privileges invested in them by His Word, and seeking to extend the gospel to the ends of the earth.

This church is an autonomous body, operating through democratic processes under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. In such a congregation members are equally responsible. Its Scriptural officers are pastors and deacons.

The New Testament speaks also of the church as the body of Christ which includes all of the redeemed of all ages.

Matt. 16:15-19; 18:15-20; Acts 2:41-42; 47; 5:11-14; 6:3-6; 13:1-3; 14:23; 27; 15:1-30; 16:5 20:28; Rom. 1:7; 1 Cor. 1:2; 3:16; 5:4-5; 7:17; 9:13-14; 12; Eph. 1:22-23; 2:19-22; 3:8-11; 21; 5:22-32; Phil. 1:1; Col. 1:18; 1 Tim. 3:1-15; 4:14; 1 Peter 5:1-4; Rev. 2-3; 21:2-3

Baptism and the Lord's Supper

Christian baptism in the immersion of a believer in water in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. It is an act of obedience symbolizing the believer's faith in a crucified, buried, and risen Saviour, the believer's death to sin, the burial of the old life, and in the resurrection to walk in newness of life in Christ Jesus. It is a testimony to his faith in the final resurrection of the dead. Being a church ordinance, it is prerequisite to the privileges of church membership and to the Lord's Supper.

The Lord's Supper is a symbolic act of obedience whereby members of the church, through partaking of the bread and the fruit of the vine, memorialize the death of the Redeemer and anticipate His second coming.

Matt. 3:13-17; 26:26-30; 28:19-20; Mark 1:9-11; 14:22-26; Luke 3:21-22; 22:19-20; John 3:23; Acts 2:41-42; 8:35-39; 16:30-33; Acts 20:7; Rom. 6:3-5; 1 Cor. 10:16; 21; 11:23-29; Col. 2:12

The Lord's Day

The first day of the week is the Lord's Day. It is a Christian institution for regular observance. It commemorates the resurrection of Christ from the dead and should be employed in exercises of worship and spiritual devotion, both public and private, and by refraining from worldy amusements, and resting from secular employments, work of necessity and mercy only being excepted.

Ex. 20:8-11; Matt. 12:1-12; 28:1 ff.; Mark 2:27-28; 16:1-7;Luke 24:1-3; 33-36; John 4:21-24; 20:1; 19-28; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:1-2, Col. 2:16; 3:16; Rev. 1:10

The Kingdom

The Kingdom of God includes both His general sovereignty over the universe and His particular kinship over men who willfully acknowledge Him as King. Particularly the Kingdom is the realm of salvation into which men enter by trustful, childlike, commitment to Jesus Christ. Christians ought to pray and to labor that the Kingdom may come and God's will be done on earth. The full consummation of the Kingdom awaits the return of Jesus Christ and the end of this age.

Gen. 1:1; Isa. 9:6-7; Jer. 23;5-6; Matt. 3:2; 4:8-10; 23; 12:25-28; 13:1-52; 25:31-46; 26:29; Mark 1:14-15; 9-1; Luke 4:43; 8:1; 9:2; 12:31-32; 17:20-21; 23:42; John 3:3; 18-36; Acts 1:6-7; 17:22-31; Rom. 5:17; 8:19; 1 Cor. 15:24-28; Col. 1:13; Heb. 11:10 16; 12:28; 1 Peter 2:4-10; 4:13; Rev. 1:6; 9; 5:10; 11:15; 21-22

Last Things

God, in His own time and in His own way, will bring the world to its appropriate end. According to His promise, Jesus Christ will return personally and visibly in glory to the earth; the dead will be raised; and Christ will judge all men in righteousness. The unrighteous will be consigned to Hell, the place of everlasting punishment. The righteous in their resurrected and glorified bodies will receive their reward and will dwell forever in Heaven with the Lord.

Isa. 2:4; 11:9; Matt. 16-27; 18:8-9; 19:28; 24:27; 30; 36; 44; 25:31-46; 26:64; Mark 8:38; 9:43-48; Luke 12:40; 48; 16:19-26; 17:22-37; 21:27-28; John 14:1-3; Acts 1:11; 17:31; Rom. 14:10; 1 Cor. 4:5; 15:24-28; 35-58; 2 Cor. 5:10; Phil. 3:20-21; Col. 1:5; 3:4; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 5:1 ff.; 2 Thes. 1:7 ff.; 2; 1 Tim. 6:14; 2 Tim. 4:1; 8; Titus 2:13; Heb. 9:27-28; James 5:8 2 Peter 3:7 ff.; 1 John 2:28; 3-2; Jude 14; Rev. 1:18; 3:11; 20:1 to 22:13

Evangelism and Missions

It is the duty and privilege of every follower of Christ and of every church of the Lord Jesus Christ to endeavor to make disciples of all nations. The new birth of man's spirit by God's Holy Spirit means the birth of love for others. Missionary efforts on the part of all rests thus upon a spiritual necessity of the regenerate life, and is expressly and repeatedly commanded in the teachings of Christ. It is the duty of every child of God to seek constantly to win the lost to Christ by personal effort and by all other methods in harmony with the gospel of Christ.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-6; Isa. 6:1-8; Matt. 9:37-38; 10:5-15; 13:18-30; 37-43; 16:19; 22:9-10; 24:14; 28:18-20; Luke 10:1-18; 24:46-53; John 14:11-12; 15:7-8; 16; 17:15; 20:21; Acts 1:8; 2; 8:26-40; 10:42-48; 13:2-3; Rom. 10: 13-15; Eph. 3:1-11; 1 Thes. 1:8; 2 Tim. 4-5; Heb. 2:1-3; 11:39 to 12:2 1 Peter 2:4-10; Rev. 22:17

Education

The cause of education in the Kingdom of Christ is co-ordinate with the causes of missions and general benevolence, and should receive along with these the liberal support of the churches. An adequate system of Christian schools is necessary to a complete spiritual program for Christ's people.

In Christian education there should be a proper balance between academic freedom and academic responsibility. Freedom in any orderly relationship of human life is always limited and never absolute. The freedom of a teacher in a Christian school, college, or seminary is limited by the preeminence of Jesus Christ, by the authoritive nature of the Scriptures, and by the distinct purpose for which the school exists.

Deut. 4:1; 5:9; 14; 6:1-10; 31:12-13; Neh. 8:1-8; Job 28:28; Psalm 19:7 ff.; 119:11; Prov. 3:13 ff.; 4:1-10; 8:1-7; 11; 15:14; Eccl. 7:19; Matt. 5:2; 7:24 ff.; 28:19-20; Luke 2:40; 1 Cor. 1:18-31; Eph. 4:11-16; Phil. 4:8; Col. 2:3; 8-9; 1 Tim. 1:3-7; Tim. 2:15; 3:14-17; Heb. 5:12 to 6:3; James 1:5; 3:17

Stewardship

God is the source of all blessings, temporal, and spiritual; all that we have and are we owe to Him. Christians have a spiritual debtorship to the whole world, a holy trusteeship in the gospel, and a binding

stewardship in their possessions. They are therefore under obligations to serve Him with their time, talents, and material possessions; and should recognize all these as entrusted to them to use for the glory of God and for helping others. According to the Scriptures, Christians should contribute of their means cheerfully, regularly, systematically, proportionately, and liberally for the advancement of the Redeemer's cause on earth.

Gen. 14:20; Lev. 27:30-32; Deut. 8:18; Ma. 3:8-12; Matt. 6:1-4; 19-21; 23:23; 25:14-29; Luke 12:16-21; 42; 16:1-13; Acts 2:44-47; 5:1-11, 17:24-25; Rom. 6:6-22; 12:1-2; 1 Cor. 4:1-2; 6:19-20; 12; 16:1-4; 2 Cor. 8-9; 12:15; Phil. 4:10-19; 1 Peter 1:18-19

Cooperation

Christ's people should, as occasion requires, organize such associations and conventions as may best secure cooperation for the great objects of the Kingdom of God. Such organizations have no authority over one another or over the churches. They are voluntary and advisory designed to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of our people in the most effective manner. Members of New Testament churches should cooperate with one another in carrying forward the missionary, educational, and benevolent ministries for the extension of Christ's Kingdom. Christian unity in the New Testament sense is spiritual harmony and voluntary cooperation for common ends by various groups of Christ's people. Cooperation is desirable between the various Christian denominations, when the end to be attained is itself justified, and when such cooperation involves no violation of conscience or compromise of loyalty to Christ and His Word as revealed in the New Testament.

Ex. 17:12; 18:17 ff.; Judg. 7:21; Ezra 1:3-4; 2:68-69; 5:14-15; Neh. 4; 8:1-5; Matt. 10:5-15; 20:1-16; 22:1-10; 28:19-20; Mark 2:3; Luke 10:1 ff.; Acts 1:13-14; 2:1 ff.; 4:31-37; 13:2-3; 15:1-35; 1 Cor. 1:10-17; 3:5-15; 12; 2 Cor. 8-9; Gal. 1:6-10; Eph. 4:1-16; Phil. 1:15-18

The Christian and the Social Order

Every Christian is under obligation to seek to make the will of Christ supreme in his own life and in human society. Means and methods used for the improvement of society and the establishment of righeousness among men can be truly and permanently helpful only when they are rooted in the regeneration of the individual by the

saving grace of God in Christ Jesus. The Christian should oppose in the spirit of Christ every form of greed, selfishness, and vice. He should work to provide for the orphaned, the needy, the aged, the helpless and the sick. Every Christian should seek to bring industry, government, and society as a whole under the sway of the principles of righteousness, truth and brotherly love. In order to promote these ends Christians should be ready to work with all men of good will in any good cause always being carefull to act in the spirit of love without compromising their loyalty to Christ and His truth.

Ex. 20:3-17; Lev. 6:2-5; Deut. 10:12; 27:17; Psalm 101:5; Mic. 6:8; Zech. 8:16; Matt. 5:13-16; 43-48; 22:36-40; 25:35; Mark 1:29-34; 2:3 ff.; 10:21; Luke 4:18-21; 10:27-37; 20-25; John 15:12; 17:15; Rom. 12-14; 1 Cor. 5:9-10; 6:1-7; 7:20-24; 10:23 to 11:1; Gal. 3:26-28; Eph. 6:5-9; Col. 3:12-17; Thes. 3:12; Philemon; James 1:27:2-8

Peace and War

It is the duty of Christians to seek peace with all men on principles of righteousness. In accordance with the spirit and teachings of Christ they should do all in their power to put an end to war.

The true remedy for the war spirit is the gospel of our Lord. The supreme need of the world is the acceptance of His teachings in all the affairs of men and nations, and the practical applications of His laws of love.

Isa. 2:4; Matt. 5:9; 38-48; 6:33; 26-52; Luke 22:36; 38; Rom. 12:18-19; 13:1-7; 14:19; Heb. 12:14; James 4:1-2

Religious Liberty

God alone is Lord of the conscience and He has left it free from the doctrines and commandments of men which are contrary to His Word or not contained in it. Church and state should be separate. The state owes to every church protection and full freedom in the pursuit of its spiritual ends. In providing for such freedom no ecclesiastical group or denomination should be favored by the state more than others. Civil government being ordained of God, it is the duty of Christians to render loyal obedience thereto in all things not contrary to the

revealed will of God. The church should not resort to the civil power to carry on its work. The gospel of Christ contemplates spiritual means alone for the pursuit of its ends. The state has no right to impose penalties for religious opinions of any kind. The state has no right to impose taxes for the support of any form of religion. A free church in a free state is the Christian ideal, and this implies the right of free and unhindered access to God on the part of all men, and the right to form and propagate opinions in the sphere of religion without interference by the civil power.

Gen. 1:27; 2:7; Matt 6:6-7; 24:16:26; 22:21; John 8:36; Acts 4:19-20; Rom. 6:1-2; 13:1-7; Gal. 5:1 13; Phil. 3:20; 1 Tim. 2:1-2; James 4:12; 1 Peter 2:12-17; 3:11-17; 4:12-19

CONSTITUTION

Article I - Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communitites closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken, as may be decided upon by the Association.

Section 5. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership and may receive churches according to the Association's Constitution and By-Laws. Any church in the Association which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years shall be contacted by the Executive Committee of the association to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association.

A cooperating church shall be defined as one which sends a report (Church Letter) to the annual session, is represented (by messengers) at the annual session, contributes to the financial program of the association and is in general sympathy with the purposes of the association. The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association.

Article II - Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in cooperating with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III - Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV - Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Moderator of the Association (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) to preside over the annual sessions and all special sessions including the meetings of the Executive Committee. As the presiding officer, he shall open the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforce the rules, preserve the order, and exercise all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parlimentary usage. He shall name the committees and representatives of Institutions and agencies described in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Article V of the Constitution at the opening of the annual session. He shall be elected for a one year term, and he cannot succeed himself after the second consecutive term.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the proceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. (1) The Director of Missions shall be elected upon a recommendation of the Committee on Missions, and by vote of the Association at a regularly scheduled meeting. The relationship between the Association and its Director of Missions may be terminated following a reasonable notice of not less than 30 days.

(2) The Director of Missions shall promote the work and witness of the Association and denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers and Associational committees and organizations.

A. He shall be responsible for planning, promoting and executing the ministry of the Association in cooperation with the Committee on Missions.

B. He shall make an annual report to the Association at the August meeting.

C. He shall be an ex officio member of all committees of the Association serving in an advisory and/or resource capacity.

D. He shall seek to visit each church in the Association in order to:

(1) Enrich Christian fellowship among churches.

(2) Encourage and strengthen the ministry of the churches.

(3) Enhance the cooperative relationship between the churches and the Association.

E. He shall, when necessary, conduct surveys or inquiries in order to determine specific needs for ministry within the area of the Association.

F. He shall, upon request, provide a list of qualified persons who may be considered by churches seeking pastors.

G. He shall have full administrative responsibility for all personnel employed by the Association.

(3) The Director of Missions is entitles to two weeks vacation annually. Upon completion of five years service, the Director of Missions shall be entitled to three weeks annual vacation, and after ten years, four weeks annual vacation. Vacation is to be taken within the calendar year, and it is not accumulative.

The Director Of Missions is entitled to 30 days sick leave per calendar year, sick leave is not to be taken as vacation, and it is not accumulative.

(4) Should there occur at any time a grievance on the part of the Association or the Director of Missions, either party may consult with the Moderator and Chairmen of the Missions Committees.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished, and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next session.

Article V - Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, Mission Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Association Executive Committee shall be composed of one lay member of all churches, the pastors of such churches and the officers of the Association as listed under Section 1 of Article IV. Twelve members of this committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business, after notice of such meeting has been mailed or otherwise given to all members of the committee at least three days prior to the proposed meeting. Members of this committee shall be elected by the churches annually.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator, ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct the organization of new churches in accordance with the rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting, including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

1. Apple Grove
2. Farmers Memorial
4. Big Laurel
5. Sabbath Home
6. Tuckerdale
7. Long Branch
9. Clifton
10. Three Forks
11. Baptist Home
12. Pine Mountain
13. Rock Creek
14. Peak Valley
15. Prosperity
17. Bald Mountain
18. Laurel Knob
19. Big Flatts
20. Pilot Mountain
21. Blue Ridge
22. Old Fields
23. Pine Swamp
24. Obids
25. Liberty Grove
26. Mission Home
27. Mount Olive
28. North Beaver
29. Round Knob
30. Glendale Springs
31. Bethel
32. South Beaver
33. Orion
34. Midway
35. W. J. First
36. Friendly Grove
37. Calvary
38. Buffalo
39. Grassy Creek
40. Fletcher Memorial
41. Warrensville
42. Bristol
43. Friendship
44. Welcome Home
45. Wagoner
46. Phoenix
47. Oak Hill
48. Liberty Hill
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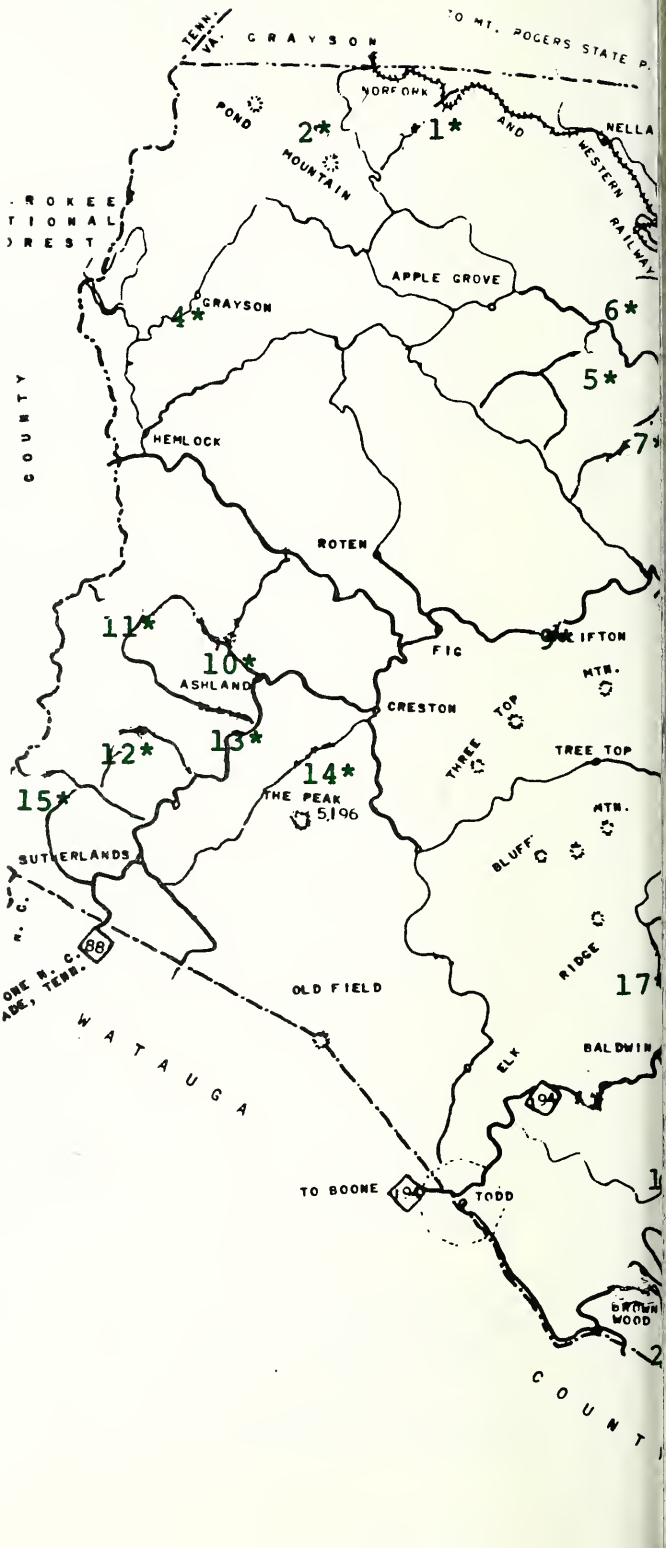

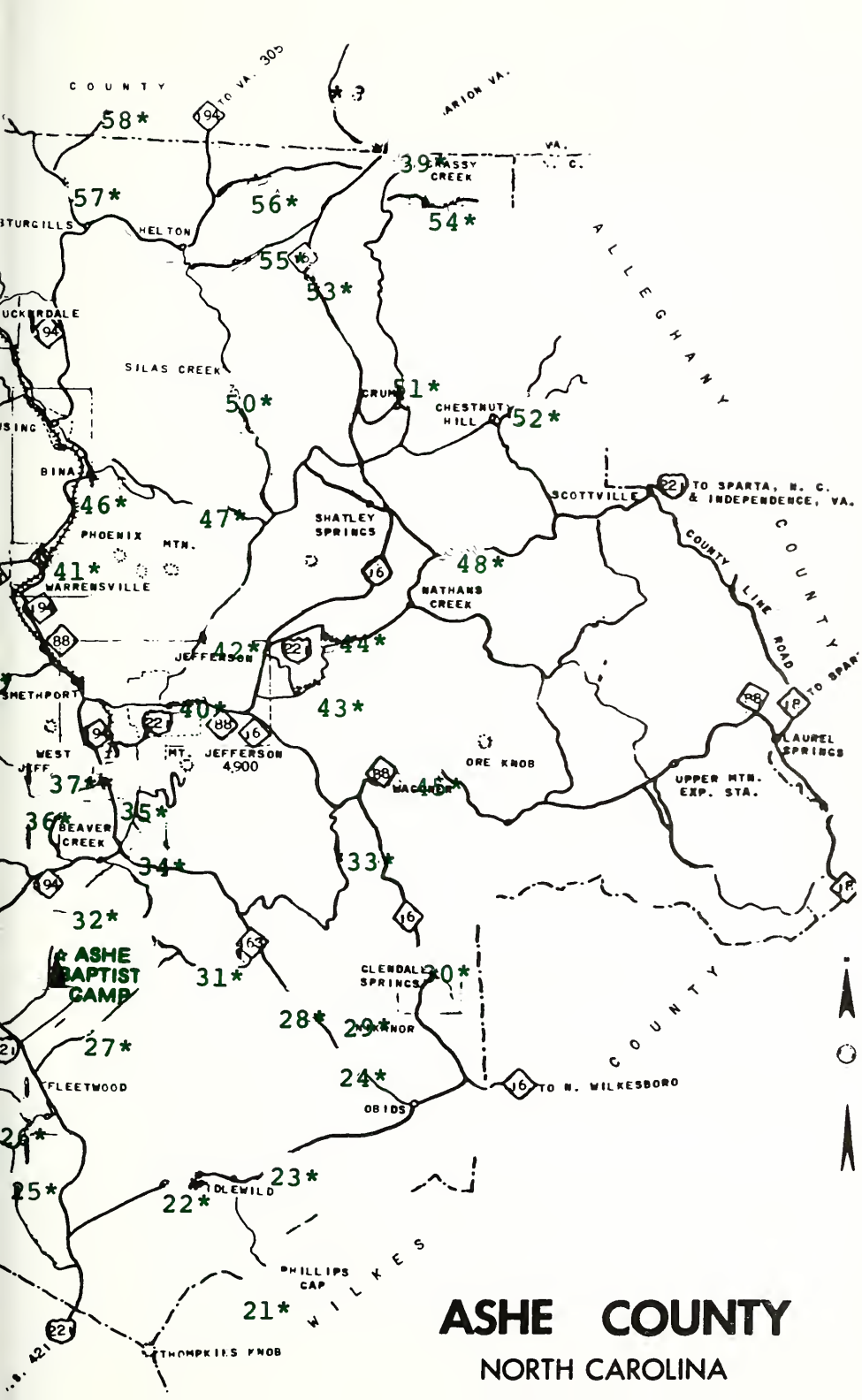

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Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister to deliver the Associational Sermon and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members who shall bring to the next annual session following their appointment, nominations for the several officers of the association, including, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, and Clerk/Treasurer. Exceptions will be Organizational Heads which are named by their respective organizations. The Nomination Committee shall also submit the names of all committee members, the only exceptions beng the Nominating, Place & Preacher, and Resolutions Committees which are appointed by the Moderator. The Officers and Committees named in this article shall be elected on the first day of each annual session, subject to additional nomination from the floor and the expressed will of the Association.

Section 8. The Moderator is authorized and directed to appoint suitable persons at each session to prepare and present to the next session reports on the various subjects and causes customary to be presented and to notify such persons in due time before the meeting of the Association.

Section 9. The Board of Directors of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three (3) for one year, three (3) for two years, and three(3) for three years.

Of the said nine members, three shall be active pastors in the Association. After the completion of one term, no member shall be eligible for re-election to this board until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this board may be chosen from any one church of the Association. The treasurer of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp (who shall serve in addition to the nine member Board of Directors) shall be elected by the Board of Directors on an indefinite basis. He/She shall have charge of the collection and disbursement

of all designated funds as instructed by the Board of Directors. He/She shall have voting privileges as do other members.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to cooperate with the officials, pastors, and Executive Committee of the Association in promoting and advancing the development and operation of the camp; to supervise and direct the work of the camp; and to make a report to the Association at each annual meeting. Vacancies occuring in this organization shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 10. The Missions Committee shall consist of five members composed of the following organizational heads: Sunday School, Church Training, W.M.U., Brotherhood and Associational Music Director. The committee shall be elected annually. It shall work with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of the Association and lead and assist in determining need for beginning new mission stations and organizing new churches. The Moderator and the Director of Missions shall be ex-officio members of this committee.

Section 11. The Ordination Committee shall consist of five (5) members, at least three of whom shall be pastors, serving in the association. The Chairman, at his discretion, may invite the pastor of a candidate to sit with the committee. Churches of the association desiring to ordain a preacher to the Gospel Ministry and desiring to use the services of the Ordination Committee of the Ashe Baptist Association shall use the following procedure.

1. The church in conference shall vote to ask the Ordination Committee to examine the candidate and so notify the chairman.
2. The candidate shall meet the following conditions before ordination.
   (a) Hold membership in a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (b) Shall have been called a pastor of a Cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (c) Shall have held a license to preach, issued by a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church for not less than six months.
3. The Chairman shall set a suitable time and place, notifying the members, for the examination.
4. The candidate shall be examined as to his Conversion, Call to the Ministry, Doctrinal Beliefs, Attitude toward our denomination and its programs.
5. The Committee Chariman shall notify the church of its recommendations and they may proceed with the ordination.

Article V - Section 12

Section 12. The Evangelism Committee, composed of 6 members, shall promote the work of Evangelism in the churches and the association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its executive Committee.

Article V - Section 13 Constitution and By-Laws Committee

Section 13. The nominating committee shall nominate a committee on Constitution and By-Laws consisting of five members, of which the first named shall serve as chairman. It shall be the duty of this committee to receive, examine and make recommendations to the Association on all proposed amendments to the Constitution or the By-Laws.

Article V - Section 14 - Properties Committee

Section 14. The nominating committee shall nominate a Properties Committee which shall consist of three members and shall have the reponsibility of recommending the purchase of necessary property and the construction of necessary buildings. This committee shall recommend any repairs and improvements needed on associational property. All recommendations subject to approval by the Executive Committee between sessions or the full-body session.

Article VI - Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening in the month of August of each year, at such time and place as may be designated or authorized by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII - Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as herein before provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII - Power and Perogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowhip from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to cooperate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX - Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.

2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the Only rule of Faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.

4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.

6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with the church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.

7. We believe in the final perserverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.

8. We believe in a separate resurrection and judgment, both for the righteous, and unrighteous dead.

9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.

2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.

3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.

4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.

5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and the assemble, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation; and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES OF THE ONE-HUNDRED FIRST ANNUAL SESSION OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
August 21, 1987

The call to order and welcome was given by Moderator, Marvin Osborne. Those attending joined in singing "Brethren We Have Met to Worship" lead by Bill Ballou and Ken Morris.

Welcome and devotion by Rev. Jack Pugh, pastor of Bald Mountain Missionary Baptist Church, one of our host churches. Rev. Pugh read Philipians 3:7-14 and lead us in prayer.

Moderator Osborne expressed appreciation to Bald Mountain and Round Knob Churches for being kind enough to host the Association on Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Whittington were recognized and asked to stand.

The Moderator conducted the seating of the messengers from the churches.

A motion to adopt the order of business was made by Eddie Duncan, seconded by Ken Morris, voted on and carried.

Moderator Osborne recognized visitors which included Miss Sue Fitzgerald from Mars Hill College.

New pastors were recognized and included Rev. Brian Eades of Glendale Baptist Church and Rev. Ken Hicks of Phoenix Baptist Church.

The Moderator then announced his Committee appointments as printed in the program.

BUSINESS SESSION:

The election of Moderator was conducted by Rev. David Blackburn. Brother Marvin Osborne was re-elected for another year.

The balance of the officers as nominated by the Nominating Committee was elected as a whole.

Roll Call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill with the following 39 churches having representatives present: Bald Mountain, Beaver Creek, Bethel, Big Flatts, Big Laurel, Blue Ridge, Bristol, Buffalo, Calvary, Clifton, Fletcher Memorial, Friendly Grove, Friendship, Glendale Springs, Grassy Creek, Healing Springs, Landmark, Laurel Knob, Liberty Grove, Long Branch, Midway, Mission Home, North Beaver, Oak Hill, Obids, Old Fields, Orion, Phoenix, Pine Swamp, Round Knob, Sabbath Home, Sturgills, Three Forks, Trinity, Tuckerdale, Wagoner, Warrensville, Welcome Home and West Jefferson First.

Congregational hymn, "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" was led by Bill Ballou and Ken Morris.

REPORTS:

Christian Higher Education report was given by Miss Sue Fitzgerald, Director of Christian Education Center of Mars Hill College.

"The Way of the Cross Leads Home" was lead by Bill Ballou and Ken Morris.

Baptist Children's Home report was given by Brother Charles Tanner. He discussed the many services being made available to needy children and young people. He asked for prayerful support as well as financial support.

Congregational hymn "Wonderful Words of Life" was lead by Bill Ballou and Ken Morris.

Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute report given by Rev. Alex Booth who stated that Fruitland became a Bible instutite in 1946. He also asked for the graduates of Fruitland present to stand.

ASSOCIATIONAL REPORTS:

Pastor's Salary and Retirement report presented by Rev. John Leek who also discussed the changes to take place in the Annuity Program beginning January 1, 1988. Rev. John Leek moved for the adoption of this report, seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

Temperance and Public Morals report given in the absence of Jimmy Lambert by Rev. Ervil Jones who moved for the adoption of this report. Seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Pastor's Conference report given in the absence of Rev. Joe Riley Blevins by Bill Ballou who moved for the adoption of this report. Seconded by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Baptist Hospital report given by Rev. Calvin Knight who discussed the wonderful things that are now being done in medicine at the Baptist Hospital.

Report on Wake Forest University by Brother Henry Stokes. He stated, "Wake Forest is a Baptist School and will remain a Baptist School and desires to do all it can to assist our people in their training for the cause of Christ."

Report on Gardner-Webb College by Dr. Garland Hendricks who also discussed the importance of pastors being a part of the Annuity Program.

Christian Action League report was given by Mr. Bill Horton. He reported on the League's fight against paramutual betting, pornography, ABC Stores and beer and wine sales. Mr. Horton stated, "The surest way evil will prosper is for good people to do nothing". He encouraged people to contact their representatives and voice how they want them to vote on various bills.

Seminary Extension report given in the absence of Seminary Extension Director, Rev. Gary Teague, by Bill Ballou who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

Mattie Parsons Memorial report given by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox. Motion to adopt Mrs. Wilcox's report by Stewart Scott, seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Annuity Program report given by Rev. Ervil Jones who moved for it's adoption; seconded by Homer Murdock, voted on and carried.

Cooperative Program report made by Rev. Homer Murdock who moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Ervil Jones, voted on and carried.

The Baptist Historical Collection housed at Wake Forest University was discussed by Rev. Henry Stokes. He stated they keep church records, and will microfilm church minutes at no charge.

Treasurer's report given by Jeannie McNeill. Motion to adopt by Jerry Burleson; seconded by Clemmie Wilcox, voted on and carried.

Associational Missions report given by Rev. Bill Ballou who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Vacation Bible School report given by Bill Ballou who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Johnny Goodman, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "More About Jesus" lead by Bill Ballou and Ken Morris.

David Blackburn discussed the request of Tuckerdale Church concerning parking at Saturday's session.

Mrs. E.Z. Sexton asked Rev. Bill Ballou to read a statement prepared by her about it being "Preacher Bill's and Opal's" wedding anniversary and her being present at their marriage. She also stated that this is the 61st annual meeting she has attended.

Associational Sermon by Rev. Jack Pugh, Pastor of Bald Mountain Baptist Church, one of our host churches. Rev. Pugh read Matthew 9:35-10:11 and lead us in prayer. He said his subject was "who moved the rock? The rock being Jesus" .....The fainting multitudes moved the rock.....He moved with compassion on them." Rev. Pugh stated that Christian people need to be identified as to who they are and live for the Lord. He continued "If you reject your Shepherd then you have moved the rock".....We need to know when to witness and how to witness. We need to know that the scripture says."

Rev. Bill Burchette asked the blessing and gave the benediction.

Adjourned for evening meal.

FRIDAY NIGHT SESSION:

The Friday night session being moderated by Vice-Moderator, David Blackburn, who expressed appreciation to the ladies of Bald Mountain and Round Knob Churches for the delicious evening meal served.

Congregational hymn "All the Way My Savior Leads Me" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Devotion was given by Rev. J.E. Owens, Pastor of Round Knob Baptist Church. Rev. Owens read St. John 15 and led in prayer.

The Evening Message was delivered by Rev. Garrett Mahaffey, Pastor of Oak Hill Baptist Church. Rev. Mahaffey began by asking everyone to stand and sing "Victory in Jesus" while shaking hands with those around us. He read scripture from Kings 17 and 18 after which he stated "Elijah was obedient to God and listened to God..... We need to have enough faith to step out and witness." Rev. Mahaffey continued, "Elijah had power with God. We need to have power with God. We need to have our hearts and lives straightened out with God."

Bill Ballou recognized Sylvia Hopkins and Mary Miller who put together the histories of Bald Mountain and Round Knob Churches for the program.

American Bible Society report given by Rev. Gary Watson who moved for its adoption. Motion seconded by Homer Murdock, voted on and carried.

Baptist Hospital report given by Rev. Jerry Burleson who moved for its adoption. Seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

The 1987-88 Associational Budget was presented by Garner Blevins. This matter to be voted on at Saturday's session.

Rev. Homer Murdock discussed the proposal made by the Budget and Finance Committee concerning our churches adding to Brother Bill Ballou's retirement account with the Annuity Board, and he moved for the adoption of this plan; seconded by Stewart Scott, voted on and carried.

Rev. Johnny Goodman read the letter of the Executive Committee sent to the Long Branch Baptist Church concerning their having a pastor "not of like faith". Rev. Jerry Burleson spoke and read scripture from Acts. Discussion was also had by Ricky Eldreth and William Greer, delegates from Long Branch, and by Rev. Garrett Mahaffey. Ralph Davis moved that we proceed with further business "and apologize to Long Branch or whatever"; seconded by Steve Blevins. Discussion by John Leek, Lloyd Day, Johnny Goodman, Phyllis Pugh, Bill Burchette, William Greer, and J.E. Owens. Ervil Jones moved that this motion be postponed until tomorrow's miscellaneous business session, seconded by Dean Watson, voted on and carried.

Rev. Claybern Roten, Pastor of Wagoner Baptist Church, gave the benediction.

SATURDAY SESSION:

The Saturday session was held at Tuckerdale Baptist Church and co-hosted by Sturgills Baptist Church. The Saturday session was called to order by Vice Moderator, David Blackburn.

Congregational hymn "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Welcome and Devotion by Rev. Lloyd Day, Pastor of Sturgills Baptist Church. He read Matthew 11:28 and led in prayer.

Sunday School Report given by Rev. Ervel Jones who moved for its adoption; seconded by Joe Montague, and after discussion by Joe Eastridge, voted on and carried.

Church Training report given by Mrs. Gwen Elliott and she moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Freddie Walters, voted on and carried after discussion by Rev. Ken Hicks.

WMU report of Mrs. Irene Campbell given in her absence by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox who moved for the adoption of this report. Seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Report on WMU Centennial during 1988 given by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox who moved for the adoption of this report. Seconded by Joe Eastridge, discussion by Bill Ballou and Ervil Jones, voted on and carried.

No report on Church Music.

No report on Brotherhood.

A motion to adopt the associational budget was made by Rev. Jack Pugh, seconded by Rev. Homer Murdock. Rev. Ervil Jones made a motion that the proposed budget be amended to include $200.00 for the Youth Program, seconded by Eddie Duncan, discussion by Ralph Davis and Jimmy Rash, voted on and carried. There being no further discussion of the proposed budget, it was voted on and carried.

Election of organizational leaders and associational committees: Motion to accept as printed in the program by Eddie Duncan, seconded by Wayne Jones, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "Victory in Jesus" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Baptist Camp Report given in the absence of Jerry South by Bill Ballou who moved for the adoption of this report, seconded by Joe Montague, voted on and carried.

Executive Committee meetings discussed by Marvin Osborne who encouraged attendance.

Evangelism report given by Rev. Jimmy Warden and moved for adoption by him; seconded by Kermit Goodman, voted on and carried.

Biblical Recorder report moved for adoption by Bill Ballou; seconded by Wayne Jones, voted on and carried.

Christian Action League report by Delmas Parker given in his absence by Bill Ballou who also moved for its adoption; seconded by Eddie Duncan, discussion by Ken Hicks, Bill Ballou and Blanch Oliver, voted on and carried.

Associational Missions Report given by Rev. Homer Murdock who moved for its adoption; seconded by Kermit Goodman, voted on and carried.

State Missions Report given by Rev. Wayne Jones who moved for its adoption; seconded by Johnny Goodman, voted on and carried.

The Moderator asked the Place and Preacher Committee to stand and asked that any church interested in hosting the annual meeting next year please contact one of these people.

Home Missions report of Mrs. Lois Jones given in her absence by Bill Ballou who also moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Pozy Owens, voted on and carried.

Foreign Missions report of Miss Linda Richardson was moved to be adopted as printed in the program by Bill Ballou; seconded by Wayne Jones, voted on and carried.

The motion postponed from Friday night's session was again put on the floor. Discussion by Rev. John Goodman who read 1 Cor. 14:33 and Proverbs 6:16. Additional discussion by Rev. Johnny Goodman, Rev. Jack Pugh, Ricky Eldreth and Mrs. Blanch Oliver. Vote was taken with 41 no votes and no yes votes. Motion defeated.

Rev. John Goodman made a motion that Long Branch Church be dismissed from the fellowship of the association for being out of order until such time as they get back in order; seconded by Freddie Walters, discussion by David Testerman, Johnny Goodman, Geter Roten and Ken Hicks and when vote taken there was 42 yes votes and 11 no votes, motion carried.

Rev. Jack Pugh moved to have a season of prayer at the discretion of the Moderator, with the Moderator choosing the present time, voted on and carried. The Moderator asked Jack Pugh to lead.

Congregational hymn "At Calvary" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Baptist Children's Home report of Mrs. Tammy Parunak, who was not present, moved for adoption by Bill Ballou; seconded by Kermit Goodman, discussion by Mrs. Paul Hager, voted on and carried.

Baptist Homes for the Aging report given by Rev. John Goodman who moved for its adoption; seconded by Russell Phillips, discussion by Homer Murdock, voted on and carried.

Christian Literature report of Mrs. Cathy Bower given in her absence by Bill Ballou who moved for its adoption; seconded by Rev. Wayne Frederick, discussion by David Blackburn, Jack Pugh, Joe Eastridge, Wayne Frederick, voted on and carried.

Christian Education report given by Mr. Stewart Scott who also moved for its adoption; seconded by Clemmie Wilcox, discussion by Ervil Jones who stated he resented Wake Forest sending a representative since they have chosen to remove themselves from Baptist support and suggested that they not be included in next year's program; voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Morning message by Rev. Jimmy Rash, Pastor of Laurel Konb Baptist Church. He read Acts 2:42-47. Rev. Rash asked, "How would you describe a great church?" He continued, "We as Christians are called out from this world.....we are a called out assembly". He also asked, "How important are the material things in the sight of God". He also listed seven important characteristics of a great church in the sight of God:

(1) "A learning and teaching church. One that adheres to sound doctrine. Important to know what we believe and why we believe it."
(2) "A church of fellowship. Quality of togetherness and fellowship."
(3) "A great church is a praying church".
(4) "A church where things are happening. We have the wealth of the world but where is the power of God?"
(5) "A sharing and giving church".
(6) "A worshipping church. Feel awe and respect for God. His love for us cultivates a love in our hearts for Him."
(7) "A witnessing church. A church concerned about the souls of people."

Rev. Rash concluded with "How do we measure up today when compared with the first church", and closed with prayer.

Rev. Thomas Shatley asked the blessing and benediction.

Adjourned for noon meal.

Moderator Osborne expressed thanks to Tuckerdale and Sturgills Baptist Churches for the delicious meal served.

Congregational hymn "Glory to His Name" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Rev. Gwyn Day gave the devotion, reading 2 Peter 3:9 and led in prayer.

Area Missions report given by Rev. Tom Lolley; seconded by Johnny Goodman, voted on and carried.

Special music was provided by The Roten Trio.

Afternoon Sermon by Rev. Bill Day. Rev. Day read Judges 14:1 and stated that if his message had a title it would be "A man of God". He stated, "Sampson had power in his life. We have shrunk back from the love we had for Christians when we were first saved" ....."The word of God strengthens inner man. When we sin we lose power with God until we confess and ask for forgiveness."

Rev. Day asked, "Where do you stand today? Are you in the center of God's will?"

Congregational hymn "I Will Sing the Wonderous Story" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Bill Ballou recognized any of our retired ministers present and expressed appreciation for their faithful service.

Time, Place and Preacher Committee report given by Thomas Elliott who reported that Rev. Gwyn Day to be the Preacher and Rev. Claybern Roten, alternate. He also reported that New River had asked to host Saturday's session but Friday was still open.

Resolutions Committee report made by Claybern Roten who moved for its adoption, seconded by Joe Montague, voted on and carried.

Bill Ballou moved that we dispense with the reading of the minutes and let the memorial service be the benediction; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Bill Ballou conducted the memorial service which included a picture and a brief biography in the up coming minutes of Reverends W.E. Denny, Wesley Eldreth, Willie Gilley, Bill McMillian and W.M. Sexton; seconded by Wayne Jones, voted on and carried.

Appreciation for the pretty flowers was expressed.

Moderator Osborne again expressed appreciation to the four hosting churches, the Association and those attending.

Motion to adjourn by Eddie Duncan; seconded by Bill Burchette, Ralph Davis dismissed with prayer.

ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION YOUTH COUNCIL

The Youth Council has planned three associational events for the 1987 calendar year. The first was Youth Night held in March at the West Jefferson First Baptist Church. The second event was Kid's Day, July 18, held at the campground. The third event is to be a Youth Rally, October 3, 1987, at the campground. We feel that these events are well-grounded programs in that each included both fun and a presentation of the Gospel. The success of these events depends upon the financial support and participation of the churches in the Ashe Association.

The goals of the Youth Council are to provide fun and fellowship for Christian young people in our Association, and most importantly to share the Gospel with young people who face our complex and diffcult world without Jesus Christ as Savior.

Respectfully submitted,
Jimmy Rash, Chairman

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF N.C. REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATION

In behalf of Dr. Blackwell, the staff, trustees and children in care, we gratefully acknowledge your support through your prayers, concern and financial resources.

Four major emphases occured during this exciting year at the Children's Homes:

1. There was a reorganization of group care on the Mills Home campus in order to more effectively deliver services to children and families. Intentionalized Services will focus on specific tasks needed by our clients in order to regain their ability to function as a whole or independently in society.

2. Moody Homes Ministries, an intensive program of "Friendship therapy" to troubled girls, was opened in Macon County. We are grateful to our Lord and to the people of Western N.C. in realizing this dream in 1987.

3. The process of Long-Range Planning, which in today's complex world of child care, can only extend up to five years was begun. As a basis for this LRP, accreditation by the National Association of Homes for Children was awarded in 1987. We are only one of three NAHC accredited child-care institutions in North Carolina. We believe you share in this accomplishment.

4. Partnerships in cooperation with the WMU, Personal Evangelism, Baptist Men and the Department of Aging have been both rewarding and exciting. We are grateful for their willingness to assist in informing the Baptists of North Carolina on this child care ministry.

We are delighted to report that more than fifty of our youth made a profession of faith in Jesus Christ during this church year.

Our commitmennt to you is to be good stewards of that which is entrusted to our care as we offer quality services on four group care campuses, eight emergency care homes, in our foster homes, at our theraupeutic camping program, through the child development center and at our maternity home. OUR MISSION REMAINS FIRM: TO HELP HURTING CHILDREN AND ASSIST BROKEN FAMILIES. We encourage you to help us by promoting the 1988 Homes & Hospital Offering in May and Cooperative Program stewardship.

UPDATE/HICKORY-LENIOR FAMILY SERVICES AREA: During the first six months of 1987, there has been a dramatic and consistent increase in the demand for the services of the Baptist Children's Homes of N.C. in the Hickory-Lenoir area. The majority of the referrals come from school counselors, juvenile court counselors and the Department of Social Services in our eleven county area. With the opening of Moody Home Ministries, an intensive program of "Friendship therapy" for troubled girls, two girls from the Greater Hickory-Lenoir area were the first to be admitted to this service.

Our staff continues to be excited about the positive relationships with the professional agencies in our area as well as with our Baptist friends. We look forward to the addition of a social worker to better meet the needs of hurting children and their families.

Through your faithful prayers and generous gifts, we continue to be laborers together for God, thus we are grateful for the opportunity to serve with you.

Donna B. Lail, Director, Hickory-Lenoir Family Services (704) 327-9373 Michael C. Blackwell, President (919) 472-1000
Charles L. Tanner, Director Church/Community Relations (919) 472-1000

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Tammy Parunak

THE CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMISSION OF THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST CONVENTION
P.O. Box 25266, Nashville, Tennessee 37202-5266
N.Larry Baker, Executive Director

During the past year the Christian Life Commission elected a new Executive Director, continued its fight against gambling and hunger and increased its initiatives on abortion, pornography, and other moral concerns related to families.

In January, Dr. N. Larry Baker was elected as the fourth Executive Director of the moral concerns agency. He succeeds Foy Valentine who stepped down from the top post because of health problems and assumed a new position as Executive Director for Development. Baker, former Vice President for Academic Affairs and Dean of the Faculty at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, took the reins of the Commission on March 15. He was formally installed a week later during the Commission's national seminar on "Critical Issues Facing Today's Families."

The annual seminar of the Commission attracted 600 participants from throughout the Southern Baptist Convention. Nationally recognized speakers addressed a wide range of family issues including teenage suicide, aging, AIDS education, child abuse, and teaching moral values in the home and in the church. A conference for youth ministers addressed the theme "Moral Problems and Youth."

The problem of abortion received high priority as the issue became a major staff assignment. The Commission sponsored a national consultation on alternatives to abortion designed to chart new courses of action in the fight against abortion. The Commission also produced and distributed eight new abortion-related resources designed to help in the observance of Sanctity of Human Life Sunday and to strenghten ongoing anti-abortion efforts.

Similar information and resources were provided to help Southern Baptist churches observe four other special emphasis days on the denominational calendar. In addition to the Sanctity of Human Life Sunday, the Commission produced support materials for Race Relations Sunday, Christian Citizenship Sunday, the Day of Prayer for World Peace, and World Hunger Day. The hunger emphasis continued to be agressive as the annual Awareness/Action Guide was sent to all pastors and Directors of Missions.

An increased number of conferences were held in partnership with state conventions. These included a state conference on moral issues in Illinois, regional conferences in Virginia and South Carolina, and leadership training conferences in Virginia and South Carolina.

Anti-pornography initiatives included a conference in Los Angeles, publication of two new pamphlets and production of a videotape on pornography. The Commission also provided staff assistance for a new Broadman film and videotape entitled "Combating Pornography."

Sales and distribution of Christian ethics materials increased by more than 65 percent, setting an all-time high. The past year marked another record as the circulation of LIGHT increased to more than 19,000.

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

There's good news and bad news!

The bad news is that during 1987 there have been some very embarrassing things happen which hindered the work and witness of Christians across our state, the nation and the world.

The good news is that Baptists have done more, given more and cared more about a lost and needy world than ever before. And it was reported in the Biblical Recorder!

The state Baptist paper for North Carolina always tries to tell it like it is -- the good, the bad, the victories and the warts --- with an emphasis on the good because there is so much good being done by our people as they take seriously the Great Commission from our Lord.

Some Baptists are well-informed, some misinformed, some unimformed. The Recorder tries each week to present the news and activities of Baptists so that all will have the opportunity to be the best informed. As our state grows and there are more challenges every day for witness and ministry, our Baptist people need to be at their very best with information and insight into the situations. Never in the history of North Carolina has there been a greater moment for Baptists to make known the Gospel and help people live in the manner of Jesus.

Readership is strong, but we want every reader and subscriber possible so that more Baptists can know the opportunities and victories within our fellowship. The paper is a bargain -- only $5.00 per year for the Church Budget Plan! For half the price of a first-class postage stamp, the Recorder comes into Baptist homes each week.

For the sixth consecutive year there will be NO INCREASE in the subscription rates. Despite the fact that second-class postage costs went up more than $90,000 in 1987, the Recorder directors are so that the greatest number of Baptists can benefit from the paper at the lowest costs.

If your church does not have the Budget Plan, we urge you to consider it for 1988. Special introductory offers are available. Please contact:

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER
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May God help us all to work together to share the Good News with the world, starting where we are and reaching to the ends of the earth.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Linda Eller
Associational Representative

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

The world! As we look at it through the means of TV and through our own eyes, what do we as Christians see? We see still a rapid decline in the morals of our people, yes even Christian people.

We are still seeing people living together who are not married. Children continue to be born out of wedlock. These children suffer much. The divorce rate is again at a national high. What do you think causes it? Surely adultry.

It is reported that AIDS is at a run-away pace here in America. As on August 2, 1987, more deaths are reported in New York City from AIDS than any other cause, especially in women from ages 23 to 34. What brought such a dread disease upon the world? Where has our teaching and efforts gone over the year. Christians, let us be at work.

ALCOHOL: Beer, wine, and liquor still pose a major problem here in the United States. Yes, even here in Ashe County, it still causes a lot of abuse to families, homes destroyed, children and mothers physically abused.

DRUGS: This is still a big-big problem here in these United States. Minds destroyed, people, especially our youth dying at premature ages, people being sent to prison for stealing and killing to obtain money to support their habit.

PORNOGRAPHY: This scourge is still at its worst here in America. Thank God North Carolina has changed some of its laws and are enforcing them on the streets. Thanks to a lot of Christians who worked hard to get this done. Our TV channels still need to be cleaned up. Don't kid yourselves, Ashe County has its share and more. Christians, go to work and let the people in Raleigh know how you feel about these things.

LOTTERY: Is it a new thing for North Carolina? No, not really. This vice has been in the making for several years. It will be put to the citizens of North Carolina before too long.

Christian: work with our youth and encourage them, work with the lost in an effort to bring them to Christ. Stand up and be counted.

Respectfully submitted,
Jimmy Lambert

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM

Our Cooperative Program money does so many things worldwide that it would be impossible to even mention them in this report. However, let me inform you of your basic operating budget (Percentage basis) for the Cooperative Program. It is divided using the following basic chart:

50 % to Foreign Mission Board
19.72% to Home Mission Board
20.56% to Seminaries
4.19% to Radio & TV
5.53% to all other causes.

The main thrust of Baptists is sharing the story of Jesus and doing that in such a way till every one of the five billion people on earth will have heard the story by the year 2000.

Last year Ashe County Baptists gave a record $51,778.00 to the Cooperative Program. That was an increase over the previous year of over $4000.00

Praise God for the commitment of Baptists in Ashe County and worldwide to the commission of Jesus.

Respectfully submitted,
Homer Murdock

WMU CENTENNIAL REPORT TO THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION

1988 will be a centennial year for the SBC. In 1901, Fannie E.S. Heck of Raleigh, North Carolina and President of the North Carolina WMU, sent (8) eight well trained young ladies to Ashe County for two months of teaching.

They were sent to different sections of the county. One was Miss Ivey Mitchel of Bertie County. She was sent to Beaver Creek Community. She became the wife of John Wycliffe Garvy and stayed in Ashe County.

She organized a WMU in Beaver Creek Baptist Church in 1901.

The churches found on the hilltops and in the valleys of Ashe County were organized in different places. Some were organized in school houses, some in store buildings, and at least one on a fence post.

Submitted by,
Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox
Centennial Chairperson

ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS

The prayer support and financial support of every church in the Ashe Association is vital if the Association is to carry out all common purposes of our body. Further, the attendance of the pastor or a representative of the church at all associational meetings gives credibility to those meetings in the eyes of the church members as well as the community. The old phrase, "It is ours, let's support it", is very appropriate.

Through our Assist Teams, our Executive Committee meetings, our Pastor's Conferences, our many state level conferences, our local and regional clinics, our doctrinal studies, our joint evangelistic efforts, our Key Leaderhip conferences, and many other activities of our denomination we see all the concerns of our association going forward. Many times we forget that it is the efforts of the local association, it's officers and the Director of Missions that keeps all this work moving forward. The local Director of Missions and officers are like the foundation of a mighty building - you don't see them many times and sometimes even forget about them being there but it is their presence that supports the entire upper structure. If you are ever tempted to ask, "What does the local association do anyhow?", just look at all the programs of the Southern Baptist Convention and you have your answer.

This year we will be adopting the largest budget in our history. As messengers we need to return to our churches and encourage them to support even more our Association as we strive to "grow" fifty two churches. If your church does not support Associational Missions ask God to lead you to lead them to do so. After all it is our strength at home that gives us power away from home.

In Ashe County God has blessed us with an outstanding association as well as a Director of Missions of equal quality. Many times we forget the scope of the work of our association and Brother Bill Ballou. As you read this report, let it be a motivator to you to tell Brother Bill how you appreciate the Ashe Baptist Association.

Respectfully submitted,
Homer Murdock

AREA MISSIONS
Western North Carolina

North Carolina is a vital part of World Missions. It is a mission field within itself. Many demanding challenges are being faced everyday. Changes are taking place. We can see that change in every area of our mountains. I am glad that many of our churches are finding creative ways to deal with these changes.

Changing lives is what North Carolina Baptists have been about for over 150 years. Since 1830 Baptists have been organized to more effectively present the message of Christ to the people of this state so that He can change lives. Present ministries are planned to confront people with their need of faith in Christ and to experience His power to change.

The Division of Missions of the Baptist State Convention assists churches and associations to discover mission needs, plan ways to meet these needs, and adequately fund mission programs. The division work involves two area missionaries and six departments: Associational, Development, Brotherhood, Chaplaincy and Language, Church Extension, Cooperative Ministries and Seminary Extension and Special Ministries.

The theme of the 1987 State Mission Offering is "Changing Lives - Through State Missions." The state goal is $1,200,000. Of this amount 40.27% will go to mission ministries in North Carolina through the Division of Missions. This special offering and your faithful support through the Cooperative Program makes the work of State Missions possible.

It has been my joy to work with you and your Director of Missions in several special meetings this year. I would love to come to your church. If I can help you in any way during the coming year, please call on me. My phone number is 704-724-9476. I thank God for the opportunity of entering into labor with you in Western North Carolina.

Tom E. Lolley
Area Missionary
Western North Carolina

STATE MISSIONS REPORT

Think about the term "missions." Very likely, your thoughts will be pictured in colors mixed long ago, radiating the deep greens of an African rain forest, the rubies and jades of traditional Chinese gowns, or the subtle earth tones of the western Indian reservations.

No doubt about it, our ideas about missions are drawn from countless missions magazines depicting such scenes. As a result, we often think of missions as a distant object, something to be observed but not experienced.

Missions, too often, means "them," not "we," and certainly not "me."

Perhaps that's why the idea of state missions is a little uncomfortable for some of us. It makes us realize, maybe for the first time, that all missions needs are not distant. People close to us -very close to us - have needs that only caring action in the name of Jesus Christ can meet.

We are state missions when we act in Christ's name. State missions, by definition, means "me."

State missions involves every church, every association which reached out to meet the special needs found in its community, to start new churches and strenghten the ministry of existing ones, to witness and to minister. It also involves all North Carolina Baptists who together support a variety of ministries that no one could undertake alone.

Because these ministries are so close to us, it can be hard for us to see state missions. We're a little farsighted when it comes to missions. often able to see distant ministries better than those at hand.

To bring things into better focus, let's begin a search for state missions. The road to state missions travels through almost every community in North Carolina, from west to east, from Almond to Duck. This road is paved with an amazing variety of ministry activities addressing almost every kind of human need.

The most important discovery of our journey perhaps is that state missions is defined not so much by geography as by people. It's "who," not "where," that tells the story of God's love in action in our state.

The tale of state missions is written in hundreds of episodes featuring thousands of characters every day. It's not one story - it's a collection.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Wayne Jones

HOME MISSIONS REPORT

Last year was a year of change for the Home Mission Board. After ten years as president, Dr. William G. Tanner resigned to become the executive director of the Baptist General Convention of Oaklahoma. In April of this year Dr. Larry L. Lewis was elected and began his work as president of the Home Mission Board in June.

The year 1985 marked Southern Baptists lowest number of baptisms in 35 years. But this trend was turned around in 1986 largely through the "Gôod News America, God Loves You" simultaneous revivals sponsored by the HMB. Southern Baptists are expected to report over 360,00 for 1986 or a 4 percent gain over 1985. The Research Division of the HMB estimates that by 1990 the number of U.S. residents who have not embraced Christianity may reach as high as 175 million. The problem is not finding people to tell about Christ or getting to where they are. The problem is finding those who are willing to reach out to witness.

In 1986 the HMB appointed 354 new missionaries, bringing the total to 3,637. The HMB is assigned 13 programs and three Support Ministries through which these missionary personnel works. Space in this report does not permit some words about each of these. One of the great ministries of the Mass Evangelism Department was the sponsoring of the "Goôd News America, God Loves You" simultaneous revivals. It is estimated that 28 percent of our baptisms for 1986 will come through this six-week crusade, 95-96 percent of the associations and over 74 percent of our churches participated in this effort. Throughout the United States these simultaneous revivals

changed and molded lives. Through television, radio billboards and newspapers the message was told. At churches, homes and other locations people responded to the good news. Plans now turn to March 18-19, 1990 when Southern Baptists will mount another nationwide simultaneous revival emphasis under the theme, "Here's Hope, God Cares For You."

The Christian Social Ministries Centers Department of the HMB has 150 missionaries who provide love and witness through counseling, food programs, Bible Study, preaching and programs for the aging, homeless, delinquents and their families. This department reported 4,365 professions of faith. The Church Loans Division of the HMB helped 203 churches through loans amounting to $20,168,782. This money made possible 41 new church sites and provided facilities for the witness to people in the military service, hospitals, instutitions and industry. The Language Missions Division support 1,369 home groups. One of the support ministries of the HMB is the Mission Service Corps (MSC) which enlists and assigns adult volunteers to serve in missions and evangelism projects for a year or more. In 1986, 298 MSC volunteers were assigned bringing a total of 920 volunteers. The Prayer For Spiritual Awakening IS A MOST IMPORTANT DEPARTMENT. In 1986 more than 35,370 people attended PSA seminars held in local churches. Over 26,582 "Prayer Partners," people who attended these seminars, have committed themselves to pray daily for a spiritual awakening across America.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Lois Jones

FOREIGN MISSIONS REPORT

If you are Southern Baptist, You're Part of Something Big! Not To Brag, But you're Part Of The Biggest Program Of Overseas Christian Missions In The World.

It is sad that many Southern Baptists know little about their Foreign Missions Program so they do not respond as enthusiastically as they might. There's more to it than they think!

Many church members contribute money to non-Baptist agencies, not realizing their own church-related missions program already responds to the same needs in overseas evangelism, hunger relief and other outreach. Some highlights of our overseas ministry are as follows:

EVANGELISM: This is the Foreign Mission Board's number one goal. During 1986, overseas baptisms averaged more than 500 per day in countries where our missionaries and national co-workers minister.

EDUCATION: Southern Baptists sponsor more than 700 Christian academics, colleges, Bible Schools, seminaries, and theological institutes in scores of countries. More than 160,400 students were taught in these schools during 1986. Plus, almost 9,000 others studied in some 400 seminary extension centers.

PUBLISHING: Southern Baptist related publishing centers produced more than 29 million pieces of Christian literature during 1986. Centers staffed by 158 missionaries and 830 nationals in more than three dozen countries produced 1,083 periodicals, 1,217 books and 378 tracts. Many thousands of Bibles were distributed.

HEALING THE SICK: More than 1.4 million persons were treated in Southern Baptist medical facilities in 38 countries during 1986. These facilities include 21 hospitals, 139 clinics, and 8 nursing schools. Southern Baptists also sponsored mobile medical clinics and special medical/dental projects by volunteers in many areas.

FEEDING THE HUNGRY: Durng 1986 Southern Baptists continued feeding the hungry tq the one million people in West Africa. When you hear of any disaster area, Southern Baptists will be there to minister. All hunger relief funds that are to be used for overseas needs go directly for those needs and none are used for administration or promotion.

1986 SOUTHERN BAPTIST FOREIGN MISSIONS AT A GLANCE

--A record number of baptisms - 185,689, or one for every 10.8 church members

---An average of 20 new churches organized each week.

---Appointment of 256 career missionaries, a record year, ending with 3,756 Southern Baptist missionaries residing in 108 countries.

---National pastors numbering over 14,500 a year's increase of 9.6 percent.

---More than 50,000 radio broadcasts and 2,150 TV Programs produced by media missionaries and overseas Baptist co-workers.

---About 137,000 inpatients and more than 1.3 million outpatients cared for by health care missionaries and co-workers.

---More than 1,900 Southern Baptist volunteers joining overseas Baptist partners in special efforts, resulting in 24,279 professions of faith in Christ.

---17 countries where Southern Baptist missionaries serve sending out almost 250 of their own missionaries.

AND THAT'S WHY SOUTHERN BAPTISTS ARE A MISSION PEOPLE - HEARING, BELIEVING, LIVING, TELLING HIS STORY.

Respectfully submitted,
Ms. Linda Richardson

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT

Anyone visiting North Carolina Baptist Hospital within the last year doesn't have to be told - we're experiencing "growing pains". Unprecedented expansion in the physical plant is well underway. We wish to thank each one coming to the hospital, as a patient or a visitor for you patience with us during this time of transition.

Many other changes in addition to the building program have been taking place. These are exciting changes in the area of treatment and patient care. As of June 1, 1987, four successive heart transplants have been performed! More than one thousand patients have had heart surgery within the past year and there have been twenty-seven kidney transplants.

An exciting first has also taken place at Baptist Hospital. The "Lithotripter" has been used to break up gallstones. No other hospital in the U.S. had been able to perform this procedure successfully. The Lithotripter had been used prior to this time to treat kidney stones and appoximately one thousand patients have undergone this treatment within the last year. This procedure eliminates the need for surgery.

Another fairly new procedure which promises exciting results and is only being offered by less than half-a-dozen medical centers in the entire country, is the transplanting of living bone tissue!

The AIR CARE PROGRAM or "Flying Emergency Room", has become a must in our fast moving, mobile society. Many trauma victims would probably not survive if it were not for this speedy service. A man recently lost an arm in a hay cutting accident. "Air Care" was able to transport him to Baptist Hospital in time for the arm to be re-attached!

In addition to the medical care received by almost 23,000 resident patients within the last year, there were over 30,000 seen as out-patient surgery. The Bowman Gray Dept. of Clinics saw a staggering 196,556!

The Pastoral Care Department is probably one of the least known and in some cases, the most desperately needed services at the hospital. In addition to pastorial services, counseling, clinical education and human enrichment events, this department, along with the Baptist State Convention has offered the "Pastor's Sabbath" and has provided assistance to more than 100 pastors and their families through the Minister's Care Plan. Some new programs are: "Conflict Management", and "Ministry to the Interim Church".

The challenge is great, but the future of Baptist Hospital looks bright!

Respectfully Submitted,
Jerry Burleson

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES

Just received the announcement of the new continuing care retirement community in Winston-Salem - Brookridge. The five-level retirement community to be located near Wake Forest University will range from independent living to skilled nursing care.

A wide variety of residential units, (studio, one and two bedroom apartments in a congregate setting and one and two bedroom cottages) will be built. The initial phase will be composed of 140 such units.

They are now ready to receive reservations for the independent living units to be constructed.

In addition to this, 121 health care beds will be constructed along with common areas that will include parlors, dining rooms, stores, craft rooms, a chapel, an auditorium, a laundry, a wellness center, a library, etc.

BROOKRIDGE is for our institution literally, a "dream come true." It will double the number of Older Adults we can serve, and it will help us impliment in a more effective way our mission: to share the love of Christ with Older Adults through residential communities based on Christian love, concern and care for the individual.

Any individual who could benefit by this institution's ministry, please call or write the BROOKRIDGE INFORMATION CENTER, 1001 S. Marshall Street, PO Box 59, Winston-Salem, North Carolina 27101-5893/Phone 919/777-3646.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. John F. Goodman

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

The Christian Action League is a voluntary organization composed of Christians and concerned citizens brought together to oppose those distructive influences in society which contribute to the low level of public morality existing today.

The League is dedicated to strengthening laws against gambling, drugs, and commercialized vice in its many forms, while emphasizing the basic importance of spiritual and moral values to the development and growth of the individual, the local community, and the nation as a whole.

We pride ourselves on the many freedoms we enjoy and we thank God for our liberty. Yet, at least 26,000,000 Americans have lost their freedom to alcohol. Millions more are enslaved to marijuana, cocaine, LSD, etc. The league is working hard to educate the public to the dangers of alcohol and drugs.

Today, a real battle is being waged for the minds and hearts of our young people. Alcohol commericals deceive our children by portraying alcohol as part of the good life and certain civic and governmental groups suggest that alcohol is acceptable as long as the individual drinks responsibly. However, alcoholic beverages have no legitimate medical or other beneficial use. There is no such thing as "responsible drinking." Any amount ingested into the body will cause harm. It is impossible to abuse alcohol. Alcohol abuses people.

Beverage alcohol is today the chief cause of poverty, broken homes, juvenile delinquency, vice, crime, child abuse, and highway accidents. Statistics indicated that 400,000 deaths yearly are directly related to the consumption of alcohol. Alcohol is now the drug of choice among teenagers and its abuse in that group is reaching epidemic proportions. The leading cause of death among adolescents is alcohol related accidents. Alcohol related injuries are exacting a heavy financial burden on the American taxpayers, while the cost in human terms is incalculable. For these reasons, the league strongly opposed all efforts to legalize the sale of alcoholic beverages in Ashe County.

League objectives for the coming year include the following:

1. To oppose a state-wide lottery.
2. To educate the public on the evils of alcohol and drugs.
3. To support the laws against pornography and obscene literature.
4. To eliminate beer and wine advertising from radio and television.
5. To support the concept of an alcohol free American by the year A.D. 2000.
6. To incorporate temperance and anti-alcohol lessons within the local church studies.

The primary goal for 1987-1988 is to educate the citizens of West Jefferson on the disadvantages of the local sale of beer and wine in Ashe County. To reach this goal we need the active cooperation of all those individuals who wish to promote Christian values and morals in our community.

We invite all like-minded citizens to join us in furthering the cause of civic and social righteousness and promoting the highest standards of Christian Morality in the lives of our people.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mr. Delmas Parker

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

CHURCHES REPORTING SCHOOLS:

1. Bald Mountain
2. Bethel
3. Big Flatts
4. Bristol
5. Buffalo
6. Fletcher Memorial
7. Friendly Grove
8. Friendship
9. Grassy Creek
10. Healing Springs
11. Landmark
12. Laurel Knob
13. Little Helton
14. Midway
15. Mission Home
16. New River
17. North Beaver
18. Obids
19. Old Fields
20. Orion
21. Phoenix
22. Trinity
23. Wagoner
24. Warrensville
25. Welcome Home
26. West Jefferson First

Number of schools reported	26
Final enrollment of schools reporting	1651
Average attendance for 26 churches	1532
Preschoolers enrolled (Birth - 5 Yrs.)	265
Children enrolled (6 - 11 Yrs.)	550
Youth enrolled (12 - 17 Yrs.)	310
Adults enrolled	485
Professions of Faith	32
Rededications	3
Pupils not enrolled in any Sunday School	258
Parents not in any Sunday School	244
Cost of curriculum materials	$4,841.00
All other VBS expenses	$3,205.00
VBS offerings through Coop-Program	$2,404.00

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou, VBS Dir.

PASTOR'S SALARY AND RETIREMENT

Ashe County is one of the most beautiful places anyone could be called to serve the Lord. God has blessed us all much more than we could ever repay. God does tell us to share our blessings and explains how to do it. I COR. 16:2 On the first day of the week, let each one of you lay something aside, storing up as he may prosper....

II COR. 9:7 "Every man according as he purposeth in his heart, so let him give; not grudingly, or of necessity; for God loveth a cheerful giver."

Our giving is to carry on the work of the Lord through missions and local church ministry. To look at figures turned in by our churches, the average gift per person is under $4.00 per week. It is hard for me to believe this is pleasing God and it is impossible for our churches to provide adequate salaries for pastors with the present mindset of the average Christian. Prayerfully consider this as you prepare for next year's budget.

Besides salary, retirement is an important way to help pastors. In January 1988, all Southern Baptist Churches will need to make some decisions concerning pastor's retirement.

Not many pastors have retirement funds available as do folks who have worked for companies who provided a retirement plan for their employees. Many of our North Carolina Baptist ministers retire with less than $200 per month. Our new annuity plan can change this. As a member of your church, you are a key person in helping this to happen.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. John Leek

PASTOR'S CONFERENCE REPORT

Pastors and ministers of our association have met each month during this past associational year. We had an average attendance of 13 pastors each month. Attendance has been good this year, but pray that each pastor of the association will see the need to attend every month in this new year.

The Pastor's Conference meets on the second Saturday of each month. This is a time of sharing and enjoying the fellowship of each other. Also, every month we enjoy an inspiring message from the word of God that we draw spiritual strength from. This creates within each of us a greater desire and determination to preach the Word of God.

The Conference receives an offering each month. This money is used for purchasing flowers when death occurs, and it also helps others who have experienced medical expenses in times of sickness.

We would like to encourage all the pastors of the Ashe Baptist Association to make it a priority to attend each month. We need this time together that we might work together for the cause of Christ. Please pray for your present chairman, Brother Billy Joe Blevins and also pray for one another. May God Bless you.

Respectfully submitted,
Joe Riley Blevins, Past Chm.
Pastor's Conference

BAPTIST CAMP REPORT

As another year ends in our association we need to praise God daily for our many blessings. This past year has been another successful year for our Baptist Camp at Fleetwood.

Improvements continue to be made which is making the camp more comfortable and usable. This past year has seen floor tile installed on the first level floors as well as cellotex on the ceilings of the first level.

The camp continues to be used by many of our churches. Regretfully, many of the churches have never used the camp. The camp belongs to every church in the association and we urge you to use it. All you need to do to reserve the camp is call the associational office and you will be booked for your requested time. When that time comes, come by the associational office and pick up a key.

In the past year 24 churches gave a total of $4,006.70. I urge each church that isn't supporting the camp to prayerfully consider doing so. Those funds recevied were used to provide the improvements mentioned above. We have dreams for the camp that will only become a reality through the support of the churches.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jerry South, Past Chm.

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

I feel that Southern Baptist Literature is of the very best quality. All phases are geared toward helping individuals grow in their Christian life and helping the church grow in its Christian witness. All materials are based on the Bible and are designed to meet the needs of the individual while undergirding the total church program.

Many materials are offered: Sunday School literature for students and teachers of all ages which offer an excellent developmental sequence in Bible knowledge and skills for Christian living: Church Training materials for all ages that further develop Bible skills and Christian principles: WMU and Brotherhood organizations have literature for all age levels that offers insight into our mission programs and lead individuals in ways to support our Foreign and Home missionaries: excellent VBS literature and materials for all ages: and books and materials designed to help individuals with special problems or special interests.

Southern Baptist literature is the best published and is used in over 35,000 Southern Baptist churches. Check the 1987-88 Baptist Book Store catalog and the Church Material catalog for the materials your church might need.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Kathy Bower

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

WHY SHOULDN'T THE PASTOR AND STAFF ENJOY RETIREMENT LIKE EVERYONE ELSE?

Requires commitment...The expanded Church Annuity Plan will alleviate the problem of low monthly pensions if Southern Baptist churches, ministers and employees will properly utilize it.

The expanded Plan is a partnership, a covenant relationship, a convenant relationship between the member, the church and the state convention.

In 1986 more than 2000 churches made a commitment to their staff members to participate in the expanded Church Annuity Plan. They did so by adopting the Plan as a matter of church policy.

When a church votes to adopt the expanded Plan the members are in essence saying, "We believe that our staff members should be covered by an adequate retirement plan. We are making the commitment that as long as they serve our church, we will see that their pension contributions are adequate for providing financial security.

The expanded Plan extends beyond committment of the local church. State convention participation - exclusive to Southern Baptist Churches --helps make the Plan a unique committment to care for those who serve the Lord.

Every state convention voted to adopt the expanded Plan in 1984-85. Like the church, their commitments are long-term, too. Most have agreed to match one-third of the total contributions made by the member and the church, up to $420 a year.

PLAN "A" TO CLOSE JANUARY 1

On Dec. 31, 1987, the Defined Benefit plans with "A" prefixes will close. Accrued retirement benefits will be maintained to enhance the pensions of all active participants.

Plan A, with its variations in benefits, was created to meet certain needs. Needs change. Obsolete plans close and new plans open.

Plan A contributions ($33.34 per month) will be rechanneled to the retirement plan fund chosen by each contributor. The benefit provided by these rechanneled contributions is guaranteed to be no less than the benefit provided under Plan A.

This response to changing needs is indicative of the Annuity Board's commitment to looking ahead.

The expanded Church Annuity Plan will take over Jan. 1, 1988, as the flagship of the Annuity Board's fleet of products.

Checklist for evaluating minister/employee insurance program

	YES	NO
Does you church provide medical insurance for everyone it call and employs full time?	☐	☐
Is the medical coverage comprehensive?	☐	☐
Are eligible dependents included?	☐	☐
Does your church provide disability insurance for all full-time, paid workers?	☐	☐
Does your church provide term life insurance for all full-time, paid staff members?	☐	☐
Is the volume of life insurance adequate?	☐	☐
Does your church comply with current rules pertaining to Social Security?	☐	☐

ASSOC	CHURCH OR ASSOCIATION	ER NO	MEMBER NAME		MEMBER NO
ASHE	BALD MOUNTAIN BAPT CHR	*320401	HJ	PUGH	406935000
ASHE	BIG FLATTS BAPT CHURCH	*320405	CR	MCCOY	314383100@
ASHE	CLIFTON BAPTIST CHURCH	*320410	JC	DARNELL	127538000@
ASHE	FBC WEST JEFFERSON	*320441	JK	MORRIS	357005000@
ASHE	FLETCHER MEMORIAL BAPT CHR	*320445	GD	TEAGUE	497535250
ASHE	FRIENDSHIP BAPT CHR	*320411	HA	PARUNAK	383915000@
ASHE	HEALING SPRINGS BAPT CHR	*320414	JD	WATSON	530821250
ASHE	LAUREL KNOB BAPT CHURCH	*320416	JO	RASH, JR	411916010
ASHE	MIDWAY BAPTIST CHURCH	*320444	ER	JONES	267298500
ASHE	MISSION HOME BAPT CHURCH	*320421	T	MILLER, JR	345676000
ASHE	NEW RIVER BAPT CHURCH	*320423	JL	WARDEN	528007000
ASHE	NO BEAVER BAPTIST CHR	*320451	DP	BLACKBURN	041600000@
ASHE	ORION BAPTIST CHURCH	*320427	JS	LEEK	296883000
ASHE	PHOENIX BAPTIST CHR	*320429	KL	HIX	232083875
ASHE	PLEASANT HOME BAPT	*320433	EB	SHEETS	451449000@
ASHE	ROUND KNOB BAPT CHURCH	*320450	JE	OWENS, JR	377942000
ASHE	TRINITY BAPTIST CHR	*320449	HW	MURDOCK, JR	360918500
ASHE	TUCKERDALE BAPT CHURCH	*320438	JL	DAY	132978500
ASHE	WAGONER BAPT CHURCH	*320446	CD	ROTEN	434219000@
ASHE	WARRENSVILLE BAPT CHR	*320440	JC	BURLESON	070651000
ASHE	ASHE BAPTIST ASSN	*320004	WC	BALLOU	022828000

TOTAL ASHE 21 EMPLOYERS 21 MEMBERS 7

@ AFTER THE MEMBER NUMBER INDICATES CONTRIBUTIONS OF $33.34 OR LESS.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Ervel Jones

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION REPORT

The 1986-87 emphasis for Woman's Missionary Union is "Gifted to Serve - Called to Act". This statement is full of action words. The emphasis on one level is like an equation. Being gifted to serve equals a call to action. A closer look suggests that Gifted to Serve - Called to Act may be described as a process. In I Corinthians 12: 4-11, Paul presents a list of spiritual gifts. As WMU members become involved, they discover gifts they never imagined they had. The Scripture for this year's "Watchword" comes from I Peter 4:10 (NIV) and it also suggests to us the need to hold firmly to Christ as the cornerstone and to love one another.

"Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms".

A primary objective for the 1986-87 emphasis is to Challenge and equip church members to identify and use their gifts in ministry as they find a place to serve and a place to grow through participation in a missions education organization for women, girls, and pre-schoolers in Women's Missionary Union.

The needs of the world are immense. One of Satan's greatest tools is discouragement. These gifts God has entrusted us to use will help alleviate that danger.

The "Vision 88" began in 1984, at that time, we were told in order to make the vision a reality the number of WMU organization and WMU members convention-wide would have to double in number.

Have we caught the "Vision?". It isn't too late. All it takes is setting a goal and making every effort to reach it. Setting goals calls for answering 3 questions: Where have we been? Where are we now? Where do we want to go?

Goals need to be challenging, measureable, and reachable. Reaching enlistment goals requires action. Action that gets results, and this calls for celebration. Woman's Missions Union S.B.C. will be looking toward and working toward a time of celebration when W.M.U. Southern Baptist Convention celebrates the first 100 years - May 15, 1988.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Irene (Dewey) Campbell

PLEASE NOTE: Baptist Women enrollment increased by 24% in Ashe Associaion this past year.

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

A church will not grow until its Sunday School gets excited about teaching the Word of God. To teach the Word of God there must be committed teachers who are willing to learn and an energetic outreach program to bring people in to the classroom.

The Challenge 10/90 is not for just the "Big" Church or SBC but for the small church in Ashe Association.

The Sunday School Officers will hold a meeting at Midway on September 15, at 7:00 p.m. to plan for an Associational Sunday School Leadership Night, October 19, at 7:00 at Midway.

This same group and the Associational Sunday School Assist Team will stand ready to help the churches of our Association in the growth and improvement of their Sunday Schools.

May we work together to fulfill the great commission, to "Disciple All Nations", but start at home.

We have a "Mandate", THE RETURN OF CHRIST.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Ervel Jones
Assn. Sunday School Director

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST COLLEGE REPORT - 1987

GARDNER-WEBB - WINGATE - MEREDITH - CAMPBELL
1905 1896 1891 1887

MARS HILL - CHOWAN - WAKE FOREST
1856 1848 1834

A recent survey sent to more than 24,000 lay persons and pastors in North Carolina, revealed strongly positive attitudes toward Baptist colleges.

The following summary of the survey's conclusions will interest our Baptist people in the churches and associations:

1. Almost 99 percent of those surveyed said Christian education should remain a high priority in North Carolina Baptist life.

2. More than 80 percent rated North Carolina Baptist colleges as outstanding or good. Ninety-five percent believe the quality of education is equal or superior to an education at at state school.

3. The three main strengths of Baptist schools, according to the survey, are the quality of education offered, the Christian commitment of faculty and the spiritual emphasis on the campuses. The overwhelming weakness is the cost.

4. Most said they learned about the colleges through the Biblical Recorder. The opinion was strong, however, (65%), that Baptist students do not receive sufficient information about Baptist colleges through the local church.

5. When asked about the percentage of Cooperative Program funds for Christian education, 45.5 percent answered that it is "About right," while 37.8 percent replied the percentage is "Not enough."

6. Respondents to the survey were 29 percent women and 40 percent lay persons. Eighty-four percent were from churches with memberships between 100 and 999.

Such positive attitudes encourage Baptist colleges to excel even more in service and cooperation with Baptist churches.

(A copy of the complete survey results may be obtained by writing to the Council on Christian Higher Education.)

Council on Christian Higher Education
PO Box 1107, Cary, North Carolina 27512-1107

Respectfully Submitted,
Mr. Stewart Scott

REPORT OF THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY TO THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONS

Praise God for the continuing partnership of the Southern Baptist Convention in the worldwide Bible cause! Your faithful prayer and financial support make a vital contribution to the American Bible Society's global program of Scripture translation and distribution.

With your help many of the opportunities the Lord has given us to share His Word with people throughout the world are being met. Through the United Bible Societies, the international cooperative network of national Bible societies of which the American Bible Society is a leading member, 600,128,459 copies of Scripture were distributed worldwide during 1986 - an increase of 9.4 percent over 1985.

During 1986 the total number of languages in which at least one complete book of the Bible has been translated climbed to 1,848 with the registering of organizations took place for the first time. In seven languages first-ever Bibles appeared. The American Bible Society is continuing to lend assistance to ongoing Scripture translation projects in 555 languages. In 348 of these, some part of the Bible is being translated for the first time.

A full account of all the ways and all the places where the Word has gone out during the past year is beyond the scope of this report. But here are just a few examples selected from some of the many countries in which the Southern Baptist Convention has mission interests:

THE WORK IN ACTION IN FOREIGN LANDS

In Colombia, local Bible Society workers are witnessing an enormous interest in reading and studying the Bible on the part of the general population, as is evidenced by the year's Scripture distribution total of 6,616,978 copies. Bible Portions, especially the Four Gospels, are continually in demand by churches, particularly for evangelization programs where they are given out free of charge. During 1986 a project was launched to enable young people to obtain a Bible and to encourage them to read it and share its message with others. Many of the country's major universities became the focus of efforts to promote the reading of God's Word among students. For young children, Scripture coloring books are provided to schools for use in religious education classes. Another special concern was the

need to reach the sick with the message of the Gospel through a project aimed at sharing the Word with patients of various clinics and hospitals, as well as with the medical staff and administrative personnel of these institutions. And as part of an ongoing program, New Reader Scriptures were distributed to state schools and colleges, prisons, and new readers in general. The Bible Society often works with churches in planning special programs for areas where the people are very poor and often have difficulty reading, and its material is also used in government literacy campaigns.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Gary Watson

BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS, 1987

You might call Frank Neville handicapped. He spends most of his time in a wheelchair. But he denies that he is handicapped, and instead has utilized his limited mobility as opportunity to witness. Each day he invited neighbors and acquaintances, one at a time, into his home for coffee. There he talks with them about Jesus, and Frank has been thrilled and amazed at their expressions of appreciation for his concern for their spiritual welfare.

Frank has determined that he will never stop witnessing, and his financial and estate plans have been so prepared as to insure that he will always be a part of winning the lost to Christ. He transferred valuable land into trust with the Baptist Foundation. Until his death, he will receive income earned by the trust. After that time, all income will be paid to Carolina Baptist Association to be used for Spanish mission ministries; scholarships for Christian vocations, and for persons going on volunteer mission trips; for training and resources for associational leadership; and for camp development. Frank Neville, like others who are faithful stewards now, wishes to continue that commitment when he is no longer here.

The Foundation promotes endowment of Christian causes with an assurance drawn from its experience with donors that such planning for the future in no way minimizes "now" witnessing and giving. Just the opposite has been the case; the faithful steward is faithful in every area. The statistics, dollars and facts of this report are truly about the people whose impassioned concern for mission and ministry has resulted in positive action.

In 1986, new trust agreements were prepared for 93 persons. Their gifts to initate these trusts totaled $1,181,288. Many of the agreements provide for and anticipate the addition of funds in the future; thus, it is difficult to assess the longterm benefit to Baptist work provided through the trusts. Assistance was given to dozens of persons in preparing their Wills, all of whom included trusts through their estates for nearly every cause supported by Southern Baptists.

One imaginative concept employed in several trusts and Wills has been "Give it Twice". A trustor provides that family members receive income earned to the principal placed in trust. Then, after the family has received the full amount, the income thereafter is paid to Baptist causes selected by the trustor in the trust agreement. He has denied his family nothing! They have received it all. But the principal is still intact and the second time around the income will support Kingdom work.

Because of the 1986 tax reform legislation, certain types of trusts have taken on new significance. The Retirement Unitrust has become a vehicle for partially replacing the IRA. This trust is especially attractive for professional persons and others in middle years for supplementing other pension plans.

Many local churches chose to use the Foundation as trustee for funds which they were holding for future needs. Investment of those funds with the Foundation can, in some cases, result in greater income for the church. Conversely, since the funds are pooled and since churches can recall the funds, if they are withdrawn during a depressed market, principal returned to the church could be reduced. It is important that churches recognize that the Foundation's first objective is to assist individuals in estate stewardship. The motivation for using the Foundation must be the making of a gift to a Baptist cause. The Foundation does not operate as a bank or investment institution. However, one exciting realization for the church is that investment through the Foundation allows their funds to be a part of "family" and to be available for "family" use, if they desire.

In cooperation with the state convention, the Foundation established in the last year a credit line of $3,000,000 for church loans. The Board of Directors took action to implement recommendations of its study committee, resulting in addition to the staff of a director of administration to direct the church loan and student loan programs, as well as trust management. The Board also approved construction of office facilities for the Foundation near the Baptist Building, with plans to begin construction in September, 1987.

Assets of the Foundation have increased to more than $13,000,000. These dollars are expressions of concern made by Baptist stewards. They are the very same persons who, like Frank Neville, witness and give daily, that the lost, the needy, the hurting people of the world might know Jesus.

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

Pastors, Leaders, Laypersons can continue their Christian education in the Ashe Baptist Association through Seminary Extension.

We very much need your help in supporting the Seminary Extension Program, both in taking the courses and promoting them in your church.

Our Advisory Board would very much like to hear from you as to what course and the place where you would like to have a class. They are: Rev. Gary Teague: Seminary Extension Director, Rev. Bill Ballou, Rev. Herbert Parunak, Rev. Jack Pugh, Rev. Jerry Burleson, Rev. Ken Morris.

Please let us know how we can help you and your church.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Gary Teague

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

In January of this year I began my nineteeth year of service to God and Ashe Baptists as Director of Missions. I am most grateful for the opportunities you have opened to me for ministry during these nineteen years. The position carries with it an awesome responsibility but I am blessed with a wonderful group of ministers and laymen with which to work. Their kind cooperation makes the job much easier. Thank you for allowing me to be a part of God's enterprise here in Ashe.

During this associational year I have been privileged to speak more than fifty times in the churches, most of these appointments being pulpit supply. I have assisted in 57 funeral services, performed 7 wedding ceremonies preached 8 revivals. During the associational year I have assisted in 5 ordinations, 2 dedications and spoke to senior citizens of 6 occasions.

Each Monday morning I prepare news items for both newspapers as well as W.K.S.K. I conduct a Saturday morning Associational News Program on W.K.S.K. Radio. Each month we prepare and mail around 700 Associational Newsletters. In preparation for our annual meeting each year we put together a Book of Reports for those who attend. Following the annual meeting we prepare material for the publishing of our Associational Annual.

Through the year I have attended our Pastor's Conferences, Executive Committee meetings, Minister & Wife Fellowship Dinners, C.T. "M" Night, S.S. Workshops, Area VBS Clinic, Key Leadership Conference at Ridgecrest and returned to conduct local Key Leadership Conferences. I have attended four conventions (SBC in St. Louis, Baptist State Convention, Evangelism Conference & Director of Missions Conference at Wingate College.) Please call on me whenever you feel that I can be of help to you and your church.

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou, DOM

EVANGELISM

Evangelism is the winning and training of disciples for Christ. Hearing the Gospel of Jesus Christ is the sweetest message ever brought to the ears of mankind. Teaching those that receive this wonderful news is a continuation of that initial acceptance of Christ which nourished the "babe" in Christ. For years evangelism centered only on winning. We now realize the importance of nurturing the new Christian with the milk and meat of God's word.

Our major promotion for evangelism in Ashe Association this year was the revival meeting at the camp. We experienced wonderful singing, good fellowship and the preaching was God's good food for our soul. All of this was great, but lack of participation and support has caused the committee to consider changes for the coming year.

As your evangelism chairman, I would welcome suggestions from you to present to the evangelism committee this coming year. I speak for all members when I say it is our desire to serve the Lord, win the lost, and help all our churches grow in the grace and knowledge of our Saviour.

Church letters show a total of 96 baptisms for all churches for this associational year which is 55 less than last year.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Jimmy Warden, Chm.
Assn. Evangelism Comm.

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Church Training is a sacred treasure that needs rediscovering in our churches. It's time to dust it off and put it back to work not as a relic of the past, but as a driving force for the present and the future.

Training remains as one of the most urgent needs of the church today. Training better to perform our jobs as church members, teachers or deacons. Training to become more meaningfully involved, church members trained to apply the Bible to the demands of modern day living. Training to witness. Training to be workmen, that needeth not be ashamed.

Your Associational Church Training sponsored the M-Night Program which was well attended. We in church training hope to be able to provide some training opportunities for you during the coming year, even if your church doesn't have a Church Training Program, and we stand ready to assist you, whether you be few or many. We believe wholeheartedly in training. Try it and you will be surprised what God can and will do in us, in our churches, if we will all take Him and our commitment to Him seriously.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Gwen Elliott

RESOLUTION COMMITTEE

Brethren, be it resolved that by the Grace of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, we will more diligently unite together in the bonds of love to cooperate as one body in Christ to fulfill the challenge of Bold Mission Thrust.

Let us further resolve that our endeavors will be better fortified by a closer union of cooperation in giving than ever before;

And let it be further resolved that we give our heartfelt thanks to Brother Bill Ballou for his fine work with our Association these many years and for the fine job of our clerk, Jeannie McNeill.

To those of Tuckerdale, Sturgills, Bald Mountain, and Round Knob Baptist Churches, we wish to give thanks for their expression of love and service.

Repsectfully Submitted,
Rev. Claybern Roten, Rev. Ken Hix, Rev. Wayne Frederick

TIME/PLACE/PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

The one hundred and second annual session of the Ashe Baptist Association will be held on Friday and Saturday, August 19 and 20, 1988. The Orion Baptist Church will host on Friday, August 19 at the Associational Campgrounds. Hosting on Saturday will be the New River Church. They will host at the New River Church. The annual sermon will be delivered on Friday afternoon by Rev. Gwyn Day.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Bill Burchette, Mrs. Worth Phillips
Mr. Thomas Elliott

IN MEMORIAM

We come now for a time of remembering those who but a short time ago walked among us. Their dear faces are still clear in our mind's eye. It seems but yesterday that they walked and talked with us. Now there is only an empty place, a vacant chair, an empty pew. The Apostle James asks the question in Chapter 4 :14, "For what is your life? It is even a vapor that appeareth for a little time, and then vanish away." It is altogether fitting and proper that the association should pause for a few minutes to pay tribue to those who have been called to join the Assembly of the Redeemed in Heaven.

APPLE GROVE - Mr. Carl Miller
BEAVER CREEK(South) - Mrs. Emma Wilcox
BIG FLATTS - Mrs. Lou Parsons, Mr. Harold Eldreth, Mr. Fred Trivette
BRISTOL - Mrs. Minnie Day, Mrs. Sallie Johnson
BUFFALO - Mr. Everette Lewis, Mrs. Susie Killen
FRIENDLY GROVE - Mr. Kermit Wilcox, Mrs. Bessie Welborn, Mr. Pal Hodge
FRIENDSHIP - Mrs. Annie C. Shatley, Mr. Harrison Miller, Mr. Darrell Witherspoon, Mrs. Dolores M. Boggs, Mrs. Johnsie S. Coldiron
GRASSY CREEK - Mr. William Halsey (Deacon)
HEALING SPRINGS - Mrs. Mary Baker
LANDMARK - Rev. W.E. Denny, Mr. Robert Blevins, Mrs. Ola Brooks
LIBERTY GROVE - Bertie Brown, Blanch Howell
LITTLE HELTON - Clip Campbell, Henry Testerman

MIDWAY - Mr. Miller Robertson, Mr. Paul Sabastian, Mrs. Gertrude Calloway, Mrs. Virginia Goodman, Mrs. Zella Fredricks, Mr. Jesse Arnold, Jr.
MISSION HOME - Mr. Joe King
NEW RIVER - Mrs. Ava Brown, Mrs. Sara Teaster
NORTH BEAVER - Rev. Willie Gilley, Mr. Oscar Hurley
OAK HILL - Rev. Bill McMillian, Mr. Leroy McMillian (Deacon), Reeves Stuart, Mrs. Cleo Brinegar, Mr. Earl Ham
OBIDS - Mr. Odell Sheets, Mrs. Everett Spears
OLD FIELDS - Mr. Charlie Church, Mrs. Lillie Friesland
ORION - Rev. Wesley Eldreth, Mr. Wade Bare (Deacon), Mrs. Mary Ann Vannoy
PHOENIX - Mrs. Wave Roten, Mr. Larkin Cockerham
PILOT MOUNTAIN - Zadie Phillips, Hettie Main
PINE SWAMP - Mrs. Fay McGinnis
PLEASANT HOME- Mrs. Malissa DeBoard, Vergil Phipps (Deacon)
PLEASANT VALLEY - Mrs. Lora Phipps
SABBATH HOME - Mr. John Goss (Deacon), Mrs. Cora Phillips
TUCKERDALE - Mrs. Faye Baldwin Powers, Mrs. Lacey T. Eller, Mrs. Patsy Ann Ahlum, Mrs. Lessie M. Clark, Mrs. Ethel M. Graham, Mrs. Laura B. Clark
WAGONER - Mr. George Bower, Mrs. Beulah Coldiron
WARRENSVILLE - Mr. Howard Miller
WELCOME HOME - Mrs. Florence Church
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Miss Clyde Mae Goodman, Mr. Price Goodman, Mr. George A. Reeves

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS
REV. WILLIAM C. (BILL) BALLOU
P.O. BOX 297, JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES	County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice on Sunday Y = yes N = no	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Presidnt nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Total energy costs	Value of church property	Total church debt at end of this associational year
APPLE GROVE	Earl Roten, Rt. 3 Box 260, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1889	1	Y	2	1	1	75	28	105	0	0	0	0	0
BALD MOUNTAIN	Jack Pugh, Rt. 1 Box 626, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1890	1	Y	1	6	3	182	65	247	0	2	1,570	250,000	0
BAPTIST HOME	Wayne Roark, Rt. 1 Box 182, Creston, NC 28615	Ashe	1890													
BEAVER CREEK	Thomas Shatley, Rt. 1 Box 234, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	1890	1	Y	7	0	1	77	5	130	0	0	0	0	0
BETHEL	Rev. Ross Harless, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1857	1	Y	0	1	3	67	42	109	0	0	0	50,000	0
BIG FLATTS	Charles McCoy, Rt. 2, Box 707, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	1905	1	N	2	1	3	72	36	108	0	0	726	18,520	0
BIG LAUREL	Bill Day, Rt. 2 Box 280, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1880	1	N	0	0	0	12	12	24	0	0	304	45,000	0
BLUE RIDGE	Earl Hartsog, Rt. 2 Box 380, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1887	1	N	0	0	0	22	29	51	0	0	0388	65,000	0
BRISTOL	Billy Joe Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 84, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	1888	2	Y	6	2	9	218	46	266	0	0	800	100,000	0
BUFFALO	Johnny Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 113-B, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1868	1	N	3	4	3	150	67	217	1	0	1,246	0	0
CALVARY	Ray Ham, Rt. 1 Box 582, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1960	3	Y	1	4	2	37	0	37	0	0	450	35,000	0
CHESTNUT HILL	Open Field	Ashe	1928	1	Y	1	0	1	35	56	91	0	0	0	38,000	0
CLIFTON	Open Field	Ashe	1891	1	Y	3	1	0	167	72	239	0	0	716	85,000	3,270
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Gary Teague, PO Box 65, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1954	3	Y	0	16	4	330	60	390	0	0	1,443	485,000	9,000
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles Edwards, Rt. 3 Box 258, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1945	1	¢	5	0	4	194	96	290	0	0	2,911	590,000	0
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Brian Eades, Rt. B Box 72, Statesville, NC 28677	Ashe	1914	1	N	0	2	3	106	76	182	0	0	924	100,000	0
GRASSY CREEK	James Goodman, Gap Creek Estates, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1929	2	Y	0	0	3	98	62	160	0	1	1,168	150,000	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Dean Watson, Rt. 1 Box 77, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Ashe	1884	1	Y		3	1	8	114	58	172	1	2	2,298	120,000	0
LANDMARK	David Testerman, PO Box 1300, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1856	1	Y		5	5	2	138	147	285	0	0	800	175,000	6,500
LAUREL KNOB	Jimmy Rash, Rt. 1 Box 326, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1912	1	Y		0	0	0	77	25	102	0	0	770	140,000	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Harvey Presnell, Rt. 3 Box 650, Banner Elk, NC 28604	Ashe	1915	1	Y		7	7	6	121	61	182	20	0	1,156	150,000	0
LITTLE HELTON	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1 Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1923	1	N		3	1	3	65	51	116	0	0	471	8,000	0
LONG BRANCH	Larry Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 52-B, Lansing,NC 28643	Ashe	1885	1	N		3	0	0	73	45	118	0	0	719	75,000	0
MIDWAY	Ervel Jones, Rt. 3 Box 722, West Jefferson, N.C. 28694	Ashe	1953	1	Y		13	1	13	190	70	255	0	0	2,329	500,000	8,232
MISSION HOME	Jack Miller, Rt. 3 Box 178, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1892	2		N	8	4	1	122	30	152	0	1	800	115,000	0
MOUNT OLIVE	Gary Watson, Rt. 1 Box 71, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1941	1		N											
NEW RIVER	Jimmy Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	Ashe	1885	1		N	3	1	5	110	14	224	0	3	753	100,000	8,000
NORTH BEAVER	David Blackburn, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	1943	1	Y		1	6	9	95	43	138	0	0	1,050	100,000	24,228
OAK HILL	GArrett Mahaffey, Rt. 1 Box 196, Todd, NC 28684	Ashe	1927	1		N	2	2	8	78	63	141	1	0		68,000	0
OBIDS	Ross Harless, Rt. 2 Box 130, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1892	1		N	0	0	2	31	29	60	0	0	354	75,000	0
OLD FIELDS	Rev. Bill Burchette, Rt. 3 Box 246, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1803	1	Y		0	0	4	80	17	97	0	0	1,800	150,000	0
ORION	John Leek, 302 Quail Hollow Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1911	1		N	1	3	5	142	17	159	0	0	1,195	250,000	0
PEAK VALLEY	Bill Day, Rt. 2 Box 280, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1882	1		N	0	0	0	7	10	17	0	0	229		0
PHOENIX	Kenneth Hix, Rt. 3 Box 74-C2, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	1903	1		N	3	4	5	109	40	149	0	0	1,865	100,000	
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Open Field	Ashe	1886	1		N	0	0	8	73	22	99					
PINE SWAMP	Gary Watson, Rt. 1 Box 71, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1948	1		N	0		6	32	20	52			11,709	60,000	0
PLEASANT HOME	Earl Sheets, Rt. 1 Box 854, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1870	1	Y		3	5	5	77	37	114	0	0	222	80,000	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	Walter Day, Rt. 3 Box 913, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1929	1		N	1	2	1	42	47	89	0	0		15,000	0
ROUND KNOB	J. E. Owens, 308 North Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1940	1		N	0	0	0	78	29	111	0	0	953	38,000	0
SABATH HOME	Open Field	Ashe	1931	1													
STURGILLS	Lloyd Day, Rt. 3 Box 194, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1933	1		N	0	1	0	89	40	129	0	0	500	35,000	0
THREE FORKS	Bill Day, Rt. 2 Box 280, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1835	1		N	2	0	0	56	59	115	0	0	987	60,000	0
TRINITY	Open Field	Wat.	1975	1	Y		4	14	1	201	16	217	0	0	880	300,000	25,892
TUCKERDALE	Lloyd Day, Rt. 3 Box 194, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1918	1		N	0	0	6	135	32	167	0	0	976	125,000	0
WAGONER	Claybern Roten, Rt. 4 Box 383-E, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659	Ashe	1949	1		N	0	2	3	96	20	16	0	0	0	95,500	0
WARRENSVILLE	Jerry Burleson, PO Box 97, Warrensville, NC 28693	Ashe	1929	2	Y		2	5	5	206	53	259	0	0	1,313	320,000	11,492
WELCOME HOME	Wayne Fredrick, Rt. 3 Box 7461, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	1935	1	Y		0	3	3	155	12	166	0	-	986	200,000	0
WJ FIRST	Ken Morris, PO Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1916	3	Y		4	9	10	371	49	420	2	3	5,030	500,000	0
	TOTALS						99	117	14	5307	2100	7416	7	13	43,545	646,600	2,786,500

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTOR
REV. ERVEL JONES
RT. 3 BOX 722
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll enrollment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool enrollment (Birth through 5 years)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrollment - Single (18-29 yr. or HS grad. - 29yrs.)	Young Adult enrollment - Married (18-29 yrs. or HS grad -29 yrs.)	Adult enrollment (30-59yrs)	Senior Adult enroll. (60 & over)	Adults Away enrollment	Homebound enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enroll. of miss. of church	Total ongoing Sunday School engroomemt	Average weekly Sunday School enrollment	No. in Outreach Bible Study groups	Weekly evangelistic visitation Y = Yes N = No	Number ethnic Sunday School members	Church VBS enrollment	Mission VBS enrollment	Backyard Bible Club enrollment
APPLE GROVE	Larry Little, Rt. 3, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	7	5	3	2	18	7	0	0	0	0	42	35	0	N	0	0	0	0
BALD MOUNTAIN	Harold Wyatt, Rt.1 Box 636, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	7	10	9	0	18	32	20	0	0	2	0	98	69	0	N	0	65	0	0
BEAVER CREEK	David Goodman, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	2	7	5	7	6	13	5	0	0	0	0	45	35	0	N	0	41	0	0
BETHEL	Carl Osborne, Rt. 1 Box 16-R, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	6	0	14	10	0	48	0	0	0	0	0	78	46	0	N	0		0	0
BIG FLATTS	Thomas H. Elliott, Rt.1 Box 15-A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	6	5	10	3	4	22	10			2		62	42		N	1	55		
BIG LAUREL	Glyda Roten, rT. 2 Box 140, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	4	0	2	0	11	7	0	N	0	25	0	0
BLUE RIOGE	James Watson, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	0	0	0	2	24	0	0	2	1	0	30	22	0	N	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Bill Dean Lambert, 907 North Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	10	10	8	10	10	32	34	0	0	3	0	117	80	0	Y	0	100	0	0
BUFFALO	Doug Eller, Rt. 1 Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	6	5	16	5	8	35	11	0	0	0	0	90	90	0	N	0		0	0
CALVARY	Clayborn Wagoner, Rt. 1, Bare St., West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	4	1	2	2	4	4	5	0	0	0	0	24	19	0	N	0	22	0	0
CHESTNUT HILL	Jerry Young, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	5	3	5	2	0	23	2	0	3	0	0	43	40	0	N	0	23	0	0
CLIFTON	Ed Miller, Rt. 2 Box 40-A, Creston, NC 28615	0	7	10	12	5	6	25	4	0	0	1	0	70	60	0	N	0	63	0	0
FLETCHER MEM.	Dan Bare, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	15	21	13	7	22	21	29	0	0	6	0	134	110	0	N	0	119	0	0
FRIENOLY GROVE	Charles Severt, Rt. 3 Box 457, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	13	18	21	0	19	74	24	0	0	3	0	173	90	0	N	0	0	0	0
FRIENOSHIP	Kyle Ball, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	3	5	19	14	0	14	35	0	0	2	0	92	80	0	N	0	93	0	0
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Larry Elliott, 308 Sunny Side Orive, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	2	7	6	6	3	25	6		0	9	0	65	65	0	Y	0		0	0
GRASSY CREEK	Dewey Cox, Rt. 1, Box 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	5	0	7	5	6	5	20	20	0	0	0	0	68	48	0	N	0	48	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Charles Phipps, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	9	6	15	10	18	25	0	0	0	11	0	94	60	0	N	0	68	0	0
LANDMARK	Glen Davis, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	2	2	12	14	8	10	30	10	0	0	6	0	94	80	0	N	0	95	0	0
LAUREL KNOB	Freda Goodman, Star Rt., Box 63-8, Deep Gap, NC 28618	4	3	3	7	2	2	1	3	2	2	7	0	35	30	0	N	0	40	0	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Kermit Miller, Star Rt., Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	7	12	6	5	6	16	19	0	0	3	0	74	52	0	N	0	30	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	J. Wilford Porter, Rt. 1 Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	3	5	5	2	4	18	20	0	0	0	0	57	38	.0	N	0	58	0	0
LONG BRANCH	Kenny Hart, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	9	7	0	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	52	51	0	N	0	46	0	0
MIDWAY	Dwight Furches, Rt. 3 Box 149, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	11	17	18	8		35	21	0	0	0	0	114	89	0	Y	3	102	0	0
MISSION HOME	Bill Gentry, Rt. 1 Box 251, Todd, NC 28684	8	7	8	12	5	8	25	26	0	0	11	0	110	85	0	N	0	96	0	0
MOUNT OLIVE	John Brown, West Jefferson, NC 28694		1	9	9	95	0	14	6					44	40						
NEW RIVER	Duane Pollard, Rt. 1 Box 556, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	19	14	11	4	6	60	16	0	6	2	0	138	77	0	N	0	71	0	0
NORTH BEAVER	Jim Ketner, Rt. 2 Bxo 340, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	7	15	16	0	4	20	16	0	0	16	0	87	51	0	N	0	65	0	0
OAK HILL	Walter Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 54, Lansing, NC 28643	2		5	6	4			21	7				45	40		N		40		
OBIOS	Glenn South, Rt. 2 Box 594, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	4	4	0	2	6	8	9	1	0	1	0	35	24	0	N	0	19	0	0
OLD FIELDS	John Yates, Rt. 1 Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	2	16	8	7	0	18	23	0	0	2	0	76	65	0	Y	0	51	0	0
ORION	Russell Vannoy, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	4	10	11	3	10	23	16	0	0	1	0	78	52	0	N	0	36	0	0
PEAK VALLEY	Don McCoy, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9					10	10	0	N	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	J. C. Ashley, Rt.1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	8	13	14	3	3	21	27	4	0	3	0	96	58	0	N	0	69	0	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			N	0	0	0	0
PILOT MOUNTAIN	None Reported	0	3	0	12	0	0	22	0	0	0	4	0	41	35						
PINE SWAMP	Kyle Vannoy, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1		2	4	7	2	10	8	4	2	7		40	38				30	1	0
PLEASANT HOME	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	7	3	6	15	6	10	9	5	0	10	6	77	49	0	N	0	36	0	0
ROUND KNOB	Walter Smith, Box 272, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	5	7	8	4	5	30	4		7	5		76	38		N		40	0	0
STURGILLS	Ricky Little, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	3	15	18	20	0	0	55	0	0	0	0	0	111	65	0	N	0	50	0	0
THREE FORKS	Bill Farmer, Rt. 2, Creston, NC 28615	0	4	12	5	6	2	17	9	0	0	5	0	60	43	0	N	0	54	0	0
TRINITY	Margaret Jewell, U.S. 421, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	11	23	27	18	19	27	32	0	8	4	0	170	83	0	Y	1	125	0	0
TUCKEROALE	Ralph Davis, PO Box 115, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	11	13	13	7	34	32		0	0	12	0	122	85	0	N	0	67	0	0
WAGONER	George Liddle, Rt. 1, Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 86294	0	7	6	6	8	14	19	10	0	0	2	0	72	40		N		39		
WARRENSVILLE	Lanny Lewis, Rt. 2 Box 12, West Jefferson, NC 28694	6	8	15	10	15	18	18	24	0	0	2	0	116	95	0	Y	0	92	0	0
WELCOME HOME	Leonard Crepps, Rt. 1 Box 202-A, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	5	7	2	0	0	15	8	0	0	6	0	43	40	0	Y	0	80	0	0
WJ FIRST	Joy Campbell, PO Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	7	47	20	16	30	49	54	0	10	5	0	238	81	10	N	0	62	0	0
	TOTALS	43	258	425	443	245	322	1,102	598	20	40	156	6	3,647	2,532	10	-	5	2,215	1	0

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

ASSOCIATIONAL CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTOR
MRS. GWEN ELLIOTT
RT. 3 BOX 142
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment (5 yrs and under - not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 yrs. or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Equipping Centers enrollment	N.C.M.T./Survival Kit enrollment	MasterLife enrollment	Other enrollment	Hold File enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of miss. of church	Total Church Training enrollment	Average weekly Church Training attend.
FRIENDSHIP	Robert Marsh, Rt.1, Jefferson, NC 28640	3	2	9	22								36	27
MIDWAY	Lois Jones, Rt. 3 Box 742, West Jefferson, NC 28694	5	10	0	0	27	0	0	0	0	1	0	43	40
MISSION HOME	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 173, Todd, NC 28684	7	6	10	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	49	25
OLD FIELDS	James I. Brooks, Rt. 1 Box 838, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	15	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	35	29
PHOENIX	Lynn McCoy, Rt. 1 Box 28, Crumpler, NC 28617	3	4	9	14	0	20	0	0	0	4	0	54	19
TRINITY	Dale BLevins, PO Box 81, Deep Gap, NC 28618	3	5	12	35	0	0	0	0	0	0		55	47
WARRENSVILLE	Stanley Lindsey, PO Box 386, Jefferson, NC 28640	3	12	7	50	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	74	35
	TOTALS	**25**	**54**	**49**	**161**	**27**	**20**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**0**	**346**	**222**

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC DIRECTOR
MRS. MARGARET VANCE
RT. 1 BOX 416
SUNSET DRIVE
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment	Younger children's enrollment (6-8 years)	Older children's enrollment (9-11 years)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrollment	Vocal ensembles enrollment	Instrumental ensembles enrollment	General music leaders enrollment	Enrollment of Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	Average weekly Music Ministry attendance
BALD MOUNTAIN	Grover Campbell, Rt. 1 Box 646, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	3	15	0	0	0	3	0	21	20
BEAVER CREEK	Sandy Patrick, Rt. 3 Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BETHEL	Earl McNeill, PO Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BIG FLATTS	Russell Phillips, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684			5	14	35		5		3		62	20
BIG LAUREL	Geter Roten, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	2	0	8	6
BLUE RIDGE	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Vaughn Baldwin, 32 Ashe Park Road, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	8	10	25	0	0	0	3	0	46	20
BUFFALO	Charles Henson, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	3	5	15	20	0	0	2	3	0	51	40
CALVARY	Clayborn Wagoner, Rt. 1, Bare St., West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	2
CHESTNUT HILL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CLIFTON	Debbie Darnell, Rt. 1 Box 249, Warrensville, NC 28693	2	0	3	6	18	0	0	0	2	0	31	20
FLETCHER MMEMORIAL	Junior Greer, Rt. 3 Box 688, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	4	10	8	30	0	3	2	5	0	66	35
FRIENDLY GROVE	Dewey Campbell, PO Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	25	0	17	0	4	0	29	18
FRIENDSHIP	Linda Ball, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640				10	20				3		33	20
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Dale Neaves, Rt. 1 Box 112, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	4	4	4	13		5	4	6	0	39	20
GRASSY CREEK	Nancy Phipps, Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Shannon Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	25	0	0	0	4	0	29	20
LANDMARK	R. L. 8levins, Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	2	4	10	18	0	4	0	2	0	0	40
LAUREL KNOB	Freda R. Goodman, Star Rt. Box 63-B, Deep Gap, NC 28618	6	0	0	10	8	0	0	0	3	0	27	17
LIBERTY GROVE	William Scott, Rt. 1 Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	0	4	3	1	15	0	0	0	2	0	25	20
LITTLE HELTON	J. Wilford Porter, Rt. 1 Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	3	2	3	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	14	11
LONG BRANCH	Doug Poe, Rt. 1, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
MIDWAY	Don Goodman (Interim), Rt. 2 8ox 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694	6	0	0	8	22		1	0	7	0	43	25
MISSION HOME	Jim Gentry, PO Box 1054, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	8	20	0	0	0	0	0	28	24
MOUNT OLIVE	Joe Caparolie, Rt. 1 Box 185, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW RIVER	A. T. Arnold, Rt. 1 Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	8	0	0	12	0	2	0	4	0	26	20
NORTH BEAVER	Bob Neaves, PO Box 206, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	9	17	0	2	2	3	0	33	26
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643			5	10	24				2		41	
OBIDS	Vilena South, Rt. 2 Box 592, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	4	0
OLD FIELDS	Dianne 8rown, Rt. 2 Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	7	4	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	29	25
ORION	Betty Jenkins, Rt. 1 Box 72-A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	3	0	24	15
PHOENIX	8ob Calhoun, Rt. 3 Box 26-B, Lansing, NC 28643	0	2	3	2	18	0	0	2	3	0	30	18
PLEASANT HOME	Beatrice Young, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUND KNO8	Anna Belle Cox, Rt. 2, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRINITY	Debbie Marshall, General Delivery, Vilas, NC 28692	0	0	0	6	24	0	0	1	5	0	36	24
TUCKERDALE	Edison Harless, Rt.2 8ox 644, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.0
WAGONER	Russell Roark, Rt. 1 8ox 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	4	1	0	4	12	0	0	1	4	0	27	27
WARRENSVILLE	Sally Ashley, PO Box 5, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	4	13	3	35	0	5	3	5	0	68	25
WELCOME HOME	Claude Neaves, 1450 North Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	18	12
WJ FIRST	Margaret Vancy, Rt. 1 Box 416, Sunset Dr., W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	6	10	26	10	4	1	5	0	62	35
	TOTALS	**28**	**41**	**77**	**155**	**535**	**10**	**50**	**18**	**99**	**0**	**952**	**618**

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL WMU DIRECTOR
MRS. RUTH CALHOUN
PO Box 147
JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Mission Friends (5 years and under not in school)	Girls in action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 years or HS grad. thru 29)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 years and under - not in school)	Girls in Actions (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 yrs or H.S. grad thru 29)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrollment
BALD MOUNTAIN	Paulette Poe, Rt. 3 Box 621, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	5	2	3	6	10	6	0	32
BUFFALO	Joann Swift, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	6	0	6	4	16	16
CALVARY	Pat Miller, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	2	6	1	0	8
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Kathy Bower, Martin Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	6	8	12	20	1	0	53
FRIENDLY GROVE	Christine Jordan, Rt. 3 Box 298, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	0	0	0	3	5	12	1	0	0	33	0	46	46
FRIENDSHIP	Patsy Miller, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	5	2	10	0	15		32	7	4	12	0	15	7	45	90
MIDWAY	Barbara Hodges, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	0	0	4	6	4	3	0	12	2	0	27
MISSION HOME	Nelda Jordan, rt. 1 Box 150, Todd, NC 28684	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	7	0	0	0	10	5	0	22
NEW RIVER	Jean Eggers, Rt. 1 Box 41, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	9	3	0	13
OLD FIELDS	Norma Yates, Rt. 1 Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	7	5	0	8	7	1	0	28
ORION	Clyde Dillard, Rt. 1 Box 57, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	4	8	11	0	21	7	0	51
PHOENIX	Cecile Eldreth, PO Box 26, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	5
TRINITY	Martha Watson, Rt. 1 Box 85, Fleetwood, NC 28618	1	1	1	1	1		5	4	6	5	8	15	10	6	48
WAGONER	Dianne Sheets, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	9	6		18
WARRENSVILLE	Geraldine Reed, Rt. 3 Box 119, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	8	5	15	10	1	0	43
WJ First	Cathy Yates, PO Box 355, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	7	6	6	0	66	10	0	95
	TOTAL	15	11	18	6	24	7	82	69	50	59	55	252	66	113	595

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD DIRECTOR
MR. JIMMY LAMBERT
RT. 3 BOX 752
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Crusaders (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Pioneers (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	RA director and committee	Baptist Men enrollment-Basic	Baptist Men enrollment-Prayer	Baptist Men enrollment-Mission Action	Baptist Men enrollment - Witnessing or Lay Renewal	Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	Enrollment of miss. of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
BUFFALO	Lester Jones, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	11
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Larry Ballou, PO Box 186, Jefferson, NC 28640	7	5	2	10	0	0	0	2	0	26
FRIENDSHIP	Mike Oixon, 206 Frank Witherspoon Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	1	6	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	10
MIOWAY	John Goodman, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	5	2	1	0	12	0	0	3	0	23
OLD FIELDS	Charlie Hayes, Rt. 2 Box 117, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	1	0	11
PHOENIX	Howard Turnmire, Rt. 1 Box 32-A, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	12	14
TRINITY	Ronnie Dowell, Rt. 1 Box 59-B, Deep Gap, NC 28618	8	6	0	20	0	0	0	1	0	35
	TOTALS	21	19	15	40	12	0	0	11	12	130

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP

ASSOCIATIONAL TRESURER
MRS. JEANIE MCNEILL
RT. 1 BOX 87
CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	TRESURERS & ADDRESSES	Number ot tithers	Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc.	Designated Gifts, Offerings, etc.	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total Receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new const. during the year.	Debt retirement during	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	25	396		6,177	75	6,252	0	6,252	0	924	2,229	0	228	2,593	5,974
BALD MOUNTAIN	Ronnie Hopkins, Rt. 1 Box 679, West Jefferson, NC 28694	18	6	6	33,334	0	33,334	0	33,334	0	13,600	0	0	800	3,991	18,391
BEAVER CREEK	Wayne Patrick, Rt. 3 Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	14,025	0	14,025	0	14,025	0	5,100	0	0	571	4,893	10,564
BETHEL	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, West Jefferson, NC 28694		0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,246	0	0	371	4,246	8,893
BIG FLATTS	Janet Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 219, Todd, NC 28684	7	0	0	12,422	1,005	13,427		13,427	0	5,720	0	0	459	3,548	9,727
BIG LAUREL	Johnie R. Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston,NC 28615	3	2	10	2,663	0	2,663	0	2,663	0	720	0	0	43	592	1,355
BLUE RIDGE	Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	7,109	0	7,109	0	7,109	0	3,000	0	0	68	644	3,712
BRISTOL	Mary E. Lambert, 907 North Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	45	4	4	25,041	8,208	33,249	694	33,943	0	17,340	0	0	685	7,032	25,057
BUFFALO	Kim Furches, Rt. 3 Box 402, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	22,643	1,012	23,655	0	23,655	0	8,400	0	0	539	2,972	11,911
CALVARY	Bobby Lambert, Church Avenue, West Jefferson, NC 28694	12	3	5	2,900	300	3,200	0	3,200	0	2,500	0	0	300	500	3,300
CHESTNUT HILL	Nell Brinegar, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	4,541	0	4,541	0	4,541	0	1,798	0	81	261	400	2,540
CLIFTON	Mary Richardson, Rt. 1 Box 257, Warrensville, NC 28693	13	3	3	19,799	3,226	23,005	0	23,005	0	12,535	264	7,000	665	1,770	22,234
FLETCHER MEM.	Jan Bare, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	20	8	6	81,066	13,812	94,878	818	95,696	10,000	26,160	13,557	17,299	3,264	20,819	81,099
FRIENDLY GROVE	Lois Severt, Rt. 3 Box 439, West Jefferson, NC 28694	25	4	4	39,794	11,229	51,023	0	51,023	0	13,053	0	0	1,709	12,201	26,963
FRIENDSHIP	Ruby Little, 1028 East Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	22	6	5	32,906	18,150	51,056		51,056	0	23,572	0	0	963	16,950	41,485
GLENDALE SPR.	Madge Hudler, Rt. 2 Box 498, West Jefferson, NC 28694	20	0	1	20,586	0	20,586	0	20,586	0	6,000	0	0	863	6,046	12,909
GRASSY CREEK	Dixie W. Hart, Rt. 1 Box 29, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	12	6	10	21,726	561	22,287	0	22,287	0	11,358	5,908	0	843	2,230	20,429

HEALING SPRINGS	Rosmary Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 609, Crumpler, NC 28617	12	5	4	19,569	14,970	34,539	450	34,989	0	10,738	3,897	0	817	7,902	23,354
LANDMARK	Linda Blevins, PO Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	20	5		15,554	1,694	17,248	0	17,248	6,500		365	0	382	14,354	15,101
LAUREL KNOB	Imogene Goodman, 840 East Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	15	4	3	19,534	2,996	22,530	205	22,735	0	13,102	0	0	485	1,257	14,844
LIBERTY GROVE	Mary South, PO Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618	7	6	4	25,724	5,080	30,804	0	30,804	0	7,320	0	0	551	2,331	10,202
LITTLE HELTON	Kay Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	1,727	1,020	2,747	0	2,747	0	2,540	1,920	1,689	528	127	6,804
LONG BRANCH	Ilene Eldreth, PO Box 144, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	90	300	390	0	0	0	5,250	1,352	0	438	1,578	8,618
MIOWAY	Barbara Hodges, Rt. 3 Box 611, West Jefferson, NC 28694	32	10	6	57,221	5,912	63,133	516	63,649	0	20,900	0	4,451	2,415	24,594	52,360
MISSION HOME	GAyle Phillips, Rt. 1 Box 212, Todd, NC 28684	20	03	04	27,287	1,383	27,470	403	27,873	0	15,229	0	0	1,475	7,872	24,576
MOUNT OLIVE	Ellen Mash, Todd, NC 28684				B,243	458			8,700		2,300	1,100		366	2,815	6,576
NEW RIVER	Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	35	5	5	32,467	10,835	43,311	0	43,311	0	10,419	6,094	2,790	555	16,844	36,702
OAK HILL	Burton Miller, Rt. 2 Box 15, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	120	14,163		14,163		14,163	0	5,159			431	6,626	12,206
OBIDS	Bly S. St. John, Rt. 2 Box 196, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	3,330	1,515	4,845	0	4,845	0	2,360	0	0	484	431	3,275
OLO FIELDS	Nelle Hayes, Rt. 2 Box 117, West Jefferson, NC 28694	20	7	5	22,863	8,522	31,385	0	31,385	0	7,375	0	0	1,463	7,565	16,403
ORION	Ralph Jones, Rt. 1 Box 500, Crumpler, NC 28617	5	6	4	25,286	4,714	30,000	0	30,000	0	15,127	0	0	1,853	6,980	23,960
PEAK VALLEY	Weldon Shepherd, RT. 1 Box 284, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	1,235	0	1,235	0	1,235	0	360	0	0	38	474	872
PHOENIX	Bruce Eller, Rt. 1 Box 77, Warrensville, NC 28693	23	3	4	27,911	0	27,911	0	27,911	0	8,817	0	0	1,806	8,630	19,253
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Mary Greene, Rt. 1 Box 777, Boone, NC 28607				2,331	1,565			3,896	0	1,101	136	821	74	578	2,710
PINE SWAMP	Shelby Hartzog, Rt. 1 Box 904, Fleetwood, NC 28626				1,200	1,000	2,200	2,100	4,900	0	2,600	1,589	0	132	492	4,812
PLEASANT HOME	Sue Weaver, Rt. 1, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	40	5	4	12,251	249	12,500	54	12,554	0	5,020	0	0	544	1,920	7,484
PLEASANT VALLEY	Dorothy Pennington, Rt. 2 Box 92, Lansing, NC 28643				0	0	0	0	0	0	1,100	1,847			638	
ROUND KNOB	Annie Severt, Rt. 2 Box 160, Fleetwood, NC 28626		03	03	10,755	0	10,755	0	10,755	0	5,432	0	0	256	220	5,908
STURGILLS	Katherine Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	12,129	1,000	13,129	0	13,129	0	4,419	2,687	0	421	1,260	8,787
THREE FORKS	Norman C. Roten, Rt. 2 Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	5	3	3	13,791	0	13,791	0	13,791	0	0	0	0	401	14,274	14,675
TRINITY	Leslie Gentry, Rt. 1 Box 115, Oeep Gap, NC 28618	34	10	4	60,022	48,925	108,947	0	108,947	0	25,768	0	8,880	1,538	17,725	53,911
TUCKERDALE	Ronda Powers, Rt. 2 Box 716, Lansing, NC 28643	20	0	0	33,000	1,100	34,100	308	34,408	0	10,000	3,157	0	1,135	4,000	18,292
WAGONER	Irma Liddle, Rt. 1 Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 2B640	8	10	10	8,987	401	9,388	0	9,388	0	5,351	0	0	149	4,155	9,655
WARRENSVILLE	Harry Ashley, Rt. 2 Box 217, Warrensville, NC 28693	80			37,366	4,355	41,721	1,851	43,572	3,000	23,750	0	2,409	2,678	14,495	43,332
WELCOME HOME	Helen Williams, Rt. 3 Box 35, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	8	2	15,200	1,542	16,742	600	17,342	0	7,508	5,469	0	455	3,822	17,254
WJ FIRST	Jennifer Dollar, PO Box 173, West Jefferson, NC 28694	45	12	3	97,375	12,093	109,468	1,345	110,813	0	42,472	0	0	4,893	61,516	108,881
	TOTALS	**658**			**967,186**	**201,085**	**1,154,476**	**9,344**	**1,176,626**	**19,500**	**425,543**	**67,911**	**48,783**	**40,125**	**329,314**	**908,198**

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK
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CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES

CHURCHES		Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (Incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (Incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	20		20	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	80	80
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mary Hopkins, Rt. 1, Box 679, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1,832	1,707	0	360	690	0	0	0	0	0	3,757	4,589
BEAVER CREEK	W. G. Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 803, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	479	0	0	520	0	360	0	360	2,210	3,929	3,929
BETHEL	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	100	435	100	0	0	0	0	0	0		535	635
BIG FLATTS	Anita Elliott, Rt. 1 Box 15-A, Fleetwood, NC 28626					120		56							176	176
BIG LAUREL	Johnie F. Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	420	300	0	0	0	0	74	0	0	0	374	794
BLUE RIDGE	Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308, West Jefferson,NC 28694	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	550	0	0	0	650	650
BRISTOL	Grace Miller, 1016 North Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	1,380	1,269	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	100	1,769	3,149
BUFFALO	Kathy Eller, Rt. 1 Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	150	200	0	410	452	0	150	0	0	0	1,212	1,362
CALVARY	Phillip Clark, Rt. 2 Box 760, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CHESTNUT HILL	Brenda Gambill, Rt. 1 Box 551, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	75	0	75	0	50	3,926
CLIFTON	Carol Jones, Rt. 2 Box 32, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	513	513	0	250	100	0	0	0	0	1,000	1,863	2,376
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mary Blackburn, 107 Wiley St., Jefferson,NC 28640	0	0	0	6,485	4,864	0	1,831	2,416	0	0	0	0	3,359	12,470	18,955
FRIENDLY GROVE	Peggy Harless, Rt. 3 Box 247, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	227	227	2,160	2,160	1,700	1,399	2,417	0	0	0	0	1,415	9,091	11,478
FRIENDSHIP	Fred Walters, Rt. 1 Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	2,012	1,659	1,328	925	1,658					688	6,258	8,270
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Bronda Elliott, 308 Sunny Side Drive, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	180	90	0	0	0	100	0	100	1,534	2,004	2,004
GRASSY CREEK	Dixie W. Hart, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0		838	388	0	729	0	0	0	0	570	2,525	3,605

HEALING SPRINGS	Nancy B. Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	1,080	838	388	0	729	0	0	0	0	570	2,525	3,605
LANDMARK	Linda Blevins, PO Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	750	120	0	100	500	0	50	0	0	0	770	1,520
LAUREL KNOB	Joanne Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	373	562	0	0	373	0	0	535	0	50	1,520	1,893
LIBERTY GROVE	J. C. Trivette, Rt. 1 Box 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	1,200	1,025	0	1,025	1,120	0	0	0	0	0	3,160	4,360
LITTLE HELTON	Kay Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	95	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	295
LONG BRANCH	Monty Miller, PO Box 154, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0		100	50	0	50	0	100	0	50	300	650	650
MIDWAY	Don Goodman, Rt. 2 Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	5,910	3,499	500	1,155	2,238	0	40	20	20	166	7,638	13,548
MISSION HOME	Carroll Phillips, Rt. 1 Box 207, Todd, NC 28684	0	67	67	1,213	1,240	0	400	625	0	0	0	0	200	2,465	3,745
MOUNT OLIVE	Betty Dean, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	50	354	20				50	50	50	89		663
NEW RIVER	Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	0	0	0	1,416	1,623	331	659	1,887	0	29	0	0	0	4,529	5,945
NORTH BEAVER	Geraldine Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 190, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	533	1,072	0	86	86	0	0	0	0	172	1,416	1,949
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643				0	120			826		240			1,652	2,838	2,838
OBIDS	Nettie McNeill, Rt. 2 Box 367, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	100	220	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	320	420
OLD FIELDS	Phyllis Yates, Rt. 1 Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	1,200	1,050	55	1,014	1,273	0	0	0	0	90	3,482	4,682
ORION	Nancy Woodie, Rt. 3 Box 740, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1,347	823	0	418	550	0	0	0	0	435	2,226	3,573
PEAK VALLEY	Weldon Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 289, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	150	100	0	0	125	0	60	0	0	0	285	435
PHOENIX	Mary Jane Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	900	1,000	100	110	110	15	90	45	45	81	1,596	2,496
PILOT MOUNTAIN	JoAnn Byland, Rt. 1 Box 25, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	146	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	146	146
PINE SWAMP	Shelby Elliott, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694					150					37				192	
PLEASANT HOME	Sharon V. Parsons, Rt. 1 Box 306, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	651	523	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	523	1,174
PLEASANT VALLEY	Dorothy Pennington, Rt. 2 Box 92, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	3,584	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ROUND KNOB	Martha Cox, Rt. 2 Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	200	250	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	250	450
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	500	0	2,106	0	0	500	0	0	0	3,106	3,106
THREE FORKS	Norman C. Roten, Rt. 2 Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	400	325	0	0	0	0	145	0	0	0	470	870
TRINITY	Jessie Baldwin, Rt. 1 Box 138, Todd, NC 28684	31,542	1,715	31,542	4,482	1,793	46	1,096	1,583	0	0	0	0	1,585	6,103	49,945
TUCKERDALE	Jeanette Davis, Rt. 1 Box 317-A, Lansing, NC 28643	1,488	1,500	2,988	500	600	0	1,285	500	0	600	200	0	2,700	6,385	9,873
WAGONER	Elsie Poe, Rt. 1 Box 105, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	0	0	0	62	120	0	0	63	0	16	0	0	0	379	441
WARRENSVILLE	Gearldine Reed, Rt. 3 Box 119, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	450	425	100	500	800	0	150	0	150	274	2,399	2,849
WELCOME HOME	Deanna Sebastian, Rt. 1 Box 253, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	1,674	600	0	0	200	0	0	0	0	0	800	2,474
WJ FIRST	Theresa Curd, Rt. 2 Box 410, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	13,250	2,400	736	2,521	4,100	0	237	119	119	1,403	11,635	24,885
	TOTALS	33,030	3,509	38,404	54,024	36,364	5,664	18,113	26,486	15	3,652	969	969	22,510	114,126	215,068

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

MODERATOR
MR. MARVIN OSBORNE
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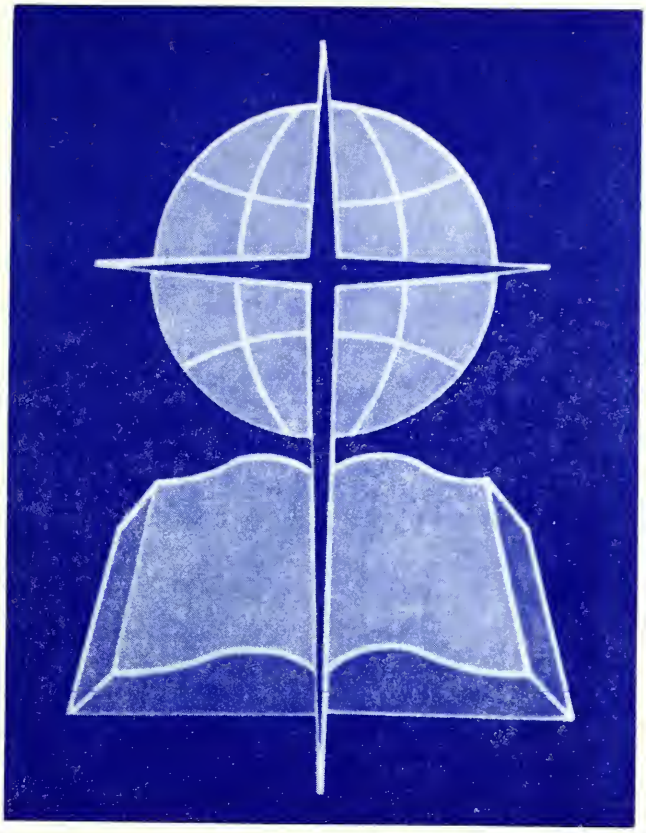
CHURCHES	CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES	No. church-type miss. started during yr.	No. church-type miss. currently operating	No. other-type miss. started during yr.	No. other-type miss. currently operating	No. New Sunday School Members	($) Lottie Moon Offering goal*	($) Annie Armstrong offering	Christian Day School enrollment	N=none, TV=TV, R-radio, B=both	No. in Sunday School but not church member	Number of revivals	No. of "re-baptisms"	No. enrol. in state conv.-spon. coll. or univ.	No. accepting Christ during a revival	Y = Yes, N = No Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Weekly workers meeting	Bi-vocational pastor	Baptist Doctrine Study	BMT prayer activities	Auto. data processing	Christian Life Committee	PBG Church Event	Media Library	Expanded Annuity Plan	Family Ministry	Baptist Men's Day	State paper in budget
APPLE GROVE	Alvin Roland, Jr., Rt. 1, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	N	3	1	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BALD MOUNTAIN	Dean Lawrence, Rt. 3 Box 572, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	7	0	360	0	N	0	2	0	0	1	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BEAVER CREEK	Warren Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 142, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	2	0	0	1	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BETHEL	Ralph Bard, Rt. 2, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	2	0	0	0	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
BIG FLATTS	William Bumgarner, Rt. 1 Box 15, Fleetwood, NC 28626					3				N	2	2			2	N	Y	N		N	N		Y	Y	N	N	N
BIG LAUREL	None Reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	1	1	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BLUE RIDGE	W. C. Johnston, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	4	1	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BRISTOL	Ralph Testerman, PO Box 373, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	1	200	200	0	N	0	2	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N
BUFFALO	Edgar Duncan, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	5	0	0	7	225	410	0	N	2	2	0	0	1	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CALVARY	None Reported	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	N	0	1	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CHESTNUT HILL	Dale Brinegar, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	N	5	1	0	0	1	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CLIFTON	Joe Eastridge, Rt. 1 Box 255, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	3	100	250	0	N	4	2	1	0	1	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Jack Taylor, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	14	1,800	1,831	0	R	20	2	0	1	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
FRIENDLY GROVE	Paul Hopkins, Rt. 3 Box 298, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	2,400	1,399	0	N	7	1	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
FRIENDSHIP	Fred Walter, Rt. 1 Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	5	1,000	925		N		2	0	0	0	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Charles Absher, Rt. 3 Box 84, Wilbar, NC 28696	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	9	0	0	0	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
GRASSY CREEK	Dewey Cox, Rt. 1, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0		187	0	N	2	2	0	1	0	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N



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Meeting at Liberty Grove Church

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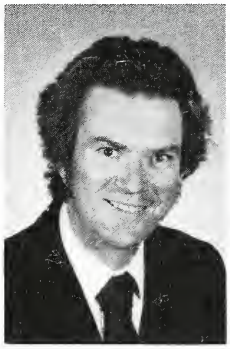

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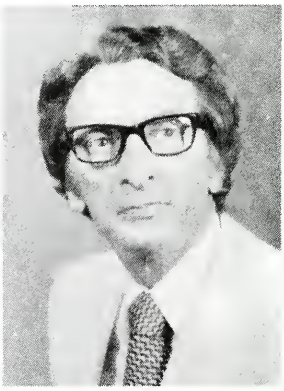

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THE 1988 ANNUAL OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION IS DEDICATED TO

REV. FRANK TUCKER

"Preacher Tucker", as he was know to all, went on to be with our Lord on September 22, 1987, marking the end of 44 years of preaching the Gospel. He was ordained to preach in September of 1943, and shortly thereafter began to fill in for Rev. M.D. Hart, who was away in the state legislature. In the years to follow, he served as pastor of eight churches in the Ashe Baptist Association. These churches were: Ashland, Peak Valley, Clifton, Buffalo, Pleasant Chapel, Pleasant Home, Welcome Home and Tuckerdale. He served as pastor of Welcome Home Church for many years, and served the Tuckerdale Church for thirty-two years, which was his last pastorate. Following his retirement from Tuckerdale Church, he served as interim pastor of Phoenix Church until just prior to his death and when their present pastor was called.

He was a bi-vocational minister until his retirement from carpentry work in 1970; however, he never let this work interfere with the church work. He was available whenever anyone needed him, and he gladly used his carpentry skills to work on the church buildings wherever he was serving as pastor.

At the age of four, following the death of his elderly father, David Tucker, he was taken into the home of Frank and Nannie Tucker in the Tuckerdale Community.

Rev. Elihu Tucker, a well-known Baptist minister during the early 1900s, was a half-brother to Frank.

He met his wife, Edith Roland, while she attended school nearby, and they were married April 21, 1926. They were blessed with 60 years together, and she preceded him in death on October 7, 1986. Her death left a void in his life he was not able to overcome. Their seven children survive: Betty, Patsy Lou, James, Max, Mabel, Nancy and Larry.

Although he did not have many years of formal education, he studied long hours on his sermons and always gave his best in his ministry. He loved the people in his pastorate, and rejoiced when any unsaved persons came to know the Lord as their Savior.

Surely our Lord has a Blessed reward for his faithful servant of many years.

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REV. KEEN ROARK

Rev. Keen Roark was ordained to the Gospel Ministry on January 4, 1941 by the Rock Creek Baptist Church. Those taking part in this special service were: Rev. H.M. Winkler - Moderator, Rev. F.S. Graybeal - Clerk, Rev. W.T. Whittington, Rev. Paul Horn, and Rev. Gaither Vannoy.

During the years of his ministry he served the following churches as pastor: Profitt's Grove - Watauga, Elk Knob - Watauga, Buffalo - Ashe, Obids - Ashe, Shelter - Ashe, North Beaver - Ashe, Baptist Home - Ashe, Pleasant Chapel - Ashe, Little Laurel - Ashe, Antioch - Tennessee, State Line - Tennessee, Dison - Tennessee, Bunton Town - Tennessee.

Brother Keen was loved and respected by all who knew him. His last call came on June 20, 1988 when our Heavenly Father called him home to his reward. May God bless his memory to each of our hearts.

THE 1988 ANNUAL OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION IS DEDICATED TO

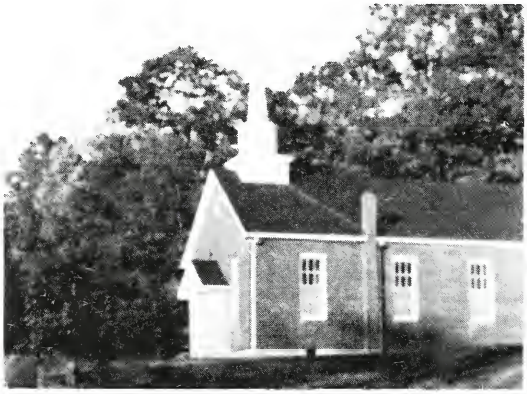
REV. HAYES McCLURE

Rev. Hayes McClure went to his eternal reward on March 5, 1988. He was a member of the Sturgills Baptist Church.

He was ordained to the Gospel ministry on June 26, 1954 at the Sturgills Church. Those participating in the special service were Dr. M.D. Hart, Rev. A.P. Howell, Rev. Frank Tucker, and Rev. R.L. Dolinger. Deacons assisting: Fred Wyatt, Fred Little, and Howard McClure.

During his pastoral ministry he served the following churches: Osborne Memorial (Alleghany) 29 years, New Hope (Alleghany) 18 years, Bel View (Alleghany), Mount Vern, Helton Valley, Baptist Chapel, Glendale Springs, Shelter.

Brother Hayes loved his Lord and he loved people. Only eternity itself will ever reveal his great contribution to the cause of Christ in this world. His Master will say, "Well Done".



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Hosting on Saturday, August 20, 1988
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ORION BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

Orion Baptist Church was organized on December 19, 1911.

The following are members who counseled together in the organization: W.C. Absher, W.M. Dillard, J.F. Dillard, Mrs. Jennie Dillard, Mrs. Dora Lambert and Mrs. Lucy Penn. A motion was made that J.F. Dillard be elected church clerk. The motion carried and he served in this office until 1962. That morning the church doors were opened and eight new members came forward. At the evening service on the same day, December 19, a message was delivered by Rev. C.M. Cope and six more new members joined the church.

On Wednesday, December 20, 1911, at 10:00 a.m., the first baptizing for the new church was held and four people were baptized. Another sermon was delivered at 11:30 a.m., and the church doors were again opened and ten candidates were received for baptism.

A new building was constructed in the spring of 1912 and the first revival was conducted. According to the church minutes, twenty-five new members were added to the church. From these new members, the first Board of Deacons was elected. Rev. T.M. Hayes was elected pastor in 1913. Others serving as pastor were Rev. R.M. Burkett, Rev. Bitty Carlton, Rev. W.E. Denny, Rev. T.M. Hayes, Rev. E.Z. Sexton, who served for nineteen years, Rev. Paul Phipps, Rev. M.D. Hart, Rev. Smith Miller, Rev. Wesley Eldreth, Rev. Elwood Goodman, Rev. R.C. Ashley, Rev. David Brown, Rev. David Hartzog, and Rev. W.E. Burchette. The present pastor is Rev. John Leek.

The present Deacon Board consists of Fields Bare, Wiley Lambert, Edd Jenkins, Jr., Russell Vannoy, Jim Hartley, David Dillard and Sam Bowers.

The church was remodeled in 1949. A new addition was added in 1974. The sanctuary was completely remodeled in 1987 and dedicated on Sunday, August 2, 1987.

NEW RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

New River Baptist Church was organized in 1885 by D.W. Thomason and J.F. Fletcher. Charter members were: John J. Garvey, Matilda J. Garvey, Mary Phipps, Martha Phipps, and Martha Pollard.

The church is located near New River at Weaver's Ford. The original building still houses the congregation. Repairs and an additional room have been added during the years. The wooden church building which once rested on stone pillars has been bricked, a basement was added for Sunday School rooms, a picnic shelter and paved parking lot. Recent additions include a new Sunday School room, Fellowship Hall, Pastor's Study, and complete remodeling of Sanctuary. In September of 1983 a building committee was elected to oversee this construction. Brothers Larry Greer, Bill Eggers, Gail Phipps, and Charles Brinegar were elected to serve on this committee. Brother Charles had prayed for this project many years. God blessed with funds and the construction began. Charles was called home before seeing the project completed, but thank God for what he envisioned and what we are now blessed to enjoy.

New River is blessed to have deacons which are active in the Family Ministry Plan. The first WMU was organized in 1985. These ladies are a blessing to the church, community, and pastor.

Rev. Jimmy Warden now serves as pastor. Former pastors include: Rev. G.L. Trivette, Rev. J.D. Spencer, Rev. W.T. Whittington, Rev. W.H. Caldwell, Rev. Buford Hash, Rev. J.R. Shumate, Rev. Roe Pasley, and Rev. Fred Jennings. Rev. John Huffman has recently been licensed to preach the Gospel.

New River Church is growing physically and spiritually in a community that was once destined to be destroyed by a dam to be built on the New River.

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P.O. Box 611, West Jefferson, NC 28694 - 246-3366
Mission Action Director.....Mrs. Bill (Jean) Eggers
Rt. 1, Box 41, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 - 384-3551
Enlistment Enlargement Director..... Miss Willa Dean Church
Rt. 2, Box 218, Fleetwood, NC 28626 - 877-5180
Centennial Chairman.....Mrs. Bruce (Clemmie) Wilcox
Rt. 1, Box 723, West Jefferson, NC 28694 - 877-1217

DIRECTORY OF MESSENGERS TO ANNUAL MEETING

APPLE GROVE - Dorothy Slate, Caroyl Denny, Larry Little, Grace Little
BALD MOUNTAIN - Merita Campbell, Dicia Houck, Dean Lawrence
BAPTIST HOME - none
BEAVER CREEK - David Goodman, Delma Goodman, Warren Goodman, Kenneth Goodman, Sherl Watson, Miss Emily Shatley
BETHEL - Earl McNeill, Carl Osborne, Ruth McNeill, E.A. Phillips, Mrs. E.A. Phillips, Linda Osborne
BIG FLATTS - Russell Phillips, Maymie Trivette, Linda Gentry, Bill Bumgarner, U.G. Elliott
BIG LAUREL - Kenny Johnson, Imogene Roten, Johnnie Roten
BLUE RIDGE - James Watson, Mrs. James Watson, Wendell Johnson, Gene Haire
BRISTOL - Dianne Barker, Helen Barker, Bud Barker, Wayne Greer, Edith Greer, Hazel Rhodes, Wilma May
BUFFALO - Edgar Duncan, Harold Culbreth, Delmar Rash
CALVARY - none
CLIFTON - Joe Eastridge, Polly Eastridge, Marvin Jones
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Gary Teague, Hazel Marmie, Arlie Blevins, Vernie Blevins

FRIENDLY GROVE - Neomi Edwards, Ford Cooper, Powell Miller, Dewey Campbell, Irene Campbell
FRIENDSHIP - Mrs. Ray Bowers, Carl Goodman, F.H. Shatley, Ruby Little, Kathleen Sturgill
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Roger Sheets, Bobby Hamby, Larry Elliott
GRASSY CREEK - Mrs. Zetta Hamby, Mrs. Ella Hudler, Dewey Cox
HEALING SPRINGS - Dean Watson, Shirley Watson, Posy Owen, Marie Owen, Clifton Poe, Kathleen Poe, Thelma Fender
LANDMARK - Lenna Brooks, M.J. Blackburn, Ruth Blackburn, Judy Moser, Dale Sexton, Irene Sexton
LAUREL KNOB - Michael Goodman, Freda Goodman, Fred Goodman, Joanne Goodman
LIBERTY GROVE - Harvey Presnell, J.C. Trivette, Marshall Perkins, Jerry South
LITTLE HELTON - Roger Porter, Rita Porter, Moody Hale, Vergie Hale
MIDWAY - Howard Jones, Lois Jones, James Taylor
MISSION HOME - Gwen Elliott, Clemmie Wilcox, Bruce Wilcox, Nelda Jordan, Mary Hardin, John Phillips
MOUNT OLIVE - Harold Miller, Linda Miller, John Brown, Carman Lyall, Joann Hardin, Vertie Watson
NEW RIVER - Mack Gore, J.B. Roark, Bill Hash, Glenna Gore, Murphy Brewer, Guy Brown
NORTH BEAVER - Scott Privette, India Privette, Terry Hartzog, Tim Sheets, Geraldine Hartzog, Allen Thacker, Ethel Thacker
OAK HILL - Steve Blevins, Angela Himm, Walter Blevins, Edmon Robertson, Billy McNeill, Dale Walton
OBIDS - Evazell Parsons, Vilena South, Nettie McNeill, Ester South, Ella Miller, Glenn South
OLD FIELDS - Ferry Hartzog, Flavil Phillips, Worth Phillips, Nona Church, Willa Dean Church
ORION - Polly Jones, Jessie Dillard, Reba Osborn, Mack Dillard, Virginia Sexton, Arthur Dillard
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy, Stella McCoy
PHOENIX - Joe Montague, Hallie Montague, Raymond Riddle, Clara Riddle
PILOT MOUNTAIN - none
PINE SWAMP - Gary Watson, Verdie Watson, Shelby Hartzog, Jennie Hartzog, Blanch Oliver, Shirley Vannoy, Shelba Elliott
PLEASANT HOME - Arthur Pasley, Nell Pasley, Rachel Young, Stanley Young
PLEASANT VALLEY - Junior Jones, Bessie Houck, Brenda Waddell

ROUND KNOB - Sybil Smith, Carolyn Miller, Mary Miller, Allen Miller, Walter Smith, Martha Cox
SABBATH HOME - Ray Elliott, Pearl Elliott, Arvie Lynch, Bill Eldreth
STURGILLS - Banner Powers, Ersa Powers, Wade Wilcox, Harold Baldwin, David Powers, Kermit Wilcox
THREE FORKS - Carroll Roten, Jerry Phillips, Zenith Roten
TRINITY - Walter Baldwin, Treva Watson, Ronnie Dowell
TUCKERDALE - Colonel Blevins, Ola Blevins, Ralph Davis, Jack Rash, Jeanette Davis, Herb Parunak
WAGONER - Velma Poe, Earl Poe, Elsie Poe, Brenda Roten, Gladys Barns, Brenda Roark
WARRENSVILLE - Jerry Burleson, Joyce Norris, J.W. Warren, Emily Warren, Ann Jones, Marie Blevins, Patsy Wood
WELCOME HOME - Virginia Barton, Zeb Barton, Grace Tucker
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Ken Morris, John Goodman, Brian Spencer, Molly Goodman

DIRECTORY OF CHAIRMEN OF DEACONS

APPLE GROVE - Alvin Roland	
Rt. 1, Lansing, NC 28643	384-3144
BALD MOUNTAIN - Dean Lawrence	
Rt. 3, Box 572, West Jefferson, NC 28694	877-2608
BEAVER CREEK - Warren Goodman	
Rt. 1, Box 142, Todd, NC 28684	877-3255
BETHEL - Ralph Bard	
Rt. 2,, Box 220, Fleetwood, NC 28626	877-4968
BIG FLATTS - Wm. T. Bumgarner	
Rt. 1, Box 15, Fleetwood, NC 28626	877-1138
BIG LAUREL - None listed	
BLUE RIDGE - C.W. Johnson	
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	877-1060
BRISTOL - Ralph Testerman	
P.O. Box 373, Jefferson, NC 28640	None
BUFFALO - Edgar Duncan	
Rt. 1, Box 328, West Jefferson, NC 28694	384-3242
CALVARY - none listed	
CLIFTON - Joe Eastridge	
Rt. 1, Box 255, Warrensville, NC 28693	385-1166
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Toy Campbell	
P.O. Box 414, Jefferson, NC 28640	246-9384
FRIENDLY GROVE - Marvin Osborne	
Rt. 3, Box 493, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-5056

FRIENDSHIP - Kyle Ball	
Rt. 3, Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	246-9530
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Charles Absher	
Rt. 3, Box 84, Wilbar, NC 28696	838-5061
GRASSY CREEK - Dewey Cox	
Rt. 1, Box 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	384-3545
HEALING SPRINGS - Clifton Poe	
Rt. 1, Box 436, Crumpler, NC 28617	982-2273
LANDMARK - M.J. Blackburn	
Rt. 2, Box 190, Lansing, NC 28643	384-2381
LAUREL KNOB - Fred Goodman	
Rt. 1, Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	877-5453
LIBERTY GROVE - J.C. Trivette	
Rt. 1, Box 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626	877-4067
LITTLE HELTON - Moody Hale	
Rt. 1, Box 269, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	None
MIDWAY - Howard Jones	
Rt. 3, Box 742, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-9261
MISSION HOME - Bill Gentry	
Rt. 1, Box 251, Todd, NC 28684	877-3716
MOUNT OLIVE - Martin Surber	
Rt. 1, Box 195, Todd, NC 28684	877-4416
NEW RIVER - Allen Huffman	
Rt. 1, Box 13-H, Jefferson, NC 28640	982-3717
NORTH BEAVER - Bryce Hurley	
Rt. 2, Box 792, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-9779
OAK HILL - Lida Blevins	
Rt. 2, Box 83, Lansing, NC 28643	982-3590
OBIDS - Weldon Bare	
Rt. 2, Box 517, West Jefferson, NC 28694	982-2545
OLD FIELDS - Burl Hartzog	
Rt. 2, Box 220, Fleetwood, NC 28626	877-4270
ORION - Sam Bowers	
Rt. 1, Box 38A, Jefferson, NC 28640	246-9501
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy	
Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	385-1565
PHOENIX - Bernard Calhoun	
Rt. 3, Box 27, Lansing, NC 28643	384-2651
PILOT MOUNTAIN - William F. Vannoy	
Rt. 1, Box 44, Todd, NC 28684	264-3329
PINE SWAMP - Emery Elliott	
Rt. 2, Box 290, West Jefferson, NC 28694	877-4358

PLEASANT HOME - Wayne Jones
Rt. 1, Box 26-J, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3730
PLEASANT VALLEY - None listed
ROUND KNOB - John Miller
Rt. 2, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-5588
SABBATH HOME - Ray Elliott
Rt. 1, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2121
STURGILLS - Ricky Little
Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3079
THREE FORKS - Bill Farmer
Rt. 2, Box 20, Creston, NC 28615 385-2331
TRINITY - Ronnie Dowell
Rt. 1, Box 471, Deep Gap, NC 28618 264-7775
TUCKERDALE - Lake Brooks
Rt. 2, Box 456-A, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3320
WAGONER - Russell Roark
Rt. 1, Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - Harold Ashley
P.O. Box 5, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3957
WELCOME HOME - Fred McNeill
Rt. 1, Box 87, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2242
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Ken Gardner
306-15 Miller Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2940

DIRECTORY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS

APPLE GROVE - Larry Little
Rt. 2, Box 432, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2567
BALD MOUNTAIN - Harold Wyatt
Rt. 1, Box 636, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4689
BEAVER CREEK - David Goodman
Rt. 2, Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5694
BETHEL - Carl Osborne
Rt. 1, Box 16-R, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2389
BIG FLATTS - Thomas H. Elliott
Rt. 1, Box 15-A, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4340
BIG LAUREL - Glyda Roten
Rt. 2, Box 140, Creston, NC 28615 385-3151
BLUE RIDGE - J.F. Watson
Rt. 2, Box 324, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5425

BRISTOL - Billy Dean Lambert
907 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2328
BUFFALO - Doug Eller
Rt. 1, Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4059
CALVARY - Bobby Lambert
P.O. Box 192, West Jefferson, NC 28694
CLIFTON - Edd Miller
Rt. 2, Box 40-A, Creston, NC 28615 385-6547
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Dan Bare
Rt. 3, Box 749, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5497
FRIENDLY GROVE - Charles Severt
Rt. 3, Box 457, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9470
FRIENDSHIP - Kyle Ball
Rt. 3, Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9530
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Larry Elliott
308 Sunnyside Drive, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-9235
GRASSY CREEK - Dewey Cox
Rt. 1, Box 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3545
HEALING SPRINGS - Charles Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 604, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3041
LANDMARK - Glenn Davis
Rt. 2, Box 553B, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3388
LAUREL KNOB - Fred Goodman
Rt. 1, Box 288, Todd, NC 28684 877-5453
LIBERTY GROVE - Kermit Miller
Star Route, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-1142
LITTLE HELTON - Kevin Jones
Rt. 1, Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4360
MIDWAY - Dwight Furches
Rt. 3, Box 149, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3710
MISSION HOME - Bill Gentry
Rt. 1, Box 251, Todd, NC 28684 877-3716
MOUNT OLIVE - Harold Miller
Rt. 2, Box 182, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4659
NEW RIVER - Duane Pollard
Rt. 1, Box 556, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2593
NORTH BEAVER - Jim Ketner
Rt. 2, Box 340, West Jefferson, NC 28894 877-4033

OAK HILL - Walter Blevins
Rt. 2, Box 54, Lansing, NC 28643 982-3236
OBIDS - Glenn South
Rt. 2, Box 591, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2536
OLD FIELDS - John Yates
Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-5179
ORION - Russell Vannoy
Rt. 3, Box 711, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7226
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy
Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615 385-1565
PHOENIX - J.C. Ashley
Rt. 1, Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3111
PILOT MOUNTAIN - None received
PINE SWAMP - Kyle Vannoy
P.O. Box 34, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-1373
PLEASANT HOME - Wayne Jones
Rt. 1, Box 26-J, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3730
PLEASANT VALLEY - None received
ROUND KNOB - Walter Smith
Rt. 2, Box 272, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4114
SABBATH HOME - Thomas Hamm
Rt. 1, Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3491
STURGILLS - Ricky Little
Rt. 2, Box 493, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3079
THREE FORKS - Bill Farmer
Rt. 2, Box 20, Creston, NC 28615 385-2331
TRINITY - Jack Watson
P.O. Box 93, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4533
TUCKERDALE - Ralph Davis
P.O. Box 115, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3673
WAGONER - Eddie Liddle
Rt. 1, Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2623
WARRENSVILLE - Lanny Lewis
Rt. 2, Box 12, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3864
WELCOME HOME - Leonard Crepps
Rt. 1, Box 202-A, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2283
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Larry Rhodes
P.O. Box 61, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9047

DIRECTORY OF CHURCH CLERKS

APPLE GROVE - Flossie Taylor
Rt. 1, Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2640

BALD MOUNTAIN - Mary Hopkins
Rt. 1, Box 679, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4420

BAPTIST HOME - No report received

BEAVER CREEK - Warren Goodman
Rt. 1, Box 803, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4436

BETHEL - Mrs. E.A. Phillips
Rt. 2, Box 155, West Jefferson, NC 28694

BIG FLATTS - Aneta Elliott
Rt. 1, Box 15-A, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4340

BIG LAUREL - Johnnie Roten
Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615 385-1448

BLUE RIDGE - Louise Helper
Rt. 2, Box 308, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2742

BRISTOL - Dianne Miller
Rt. 3, Box 625, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3204

BUFFALO - Kathy Eller
Rt. 1, Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5688

CLIFTON - Miss Carol Jones
Rt. 2, Box 32, Creston, NC 28615 385-5661

FARMER MEMORIAL - No report received

FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mary Blackburn
107 Wiley Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9088

FRIENDLY GROVE - Mrs. Rayborne Harless
Rt. 3, Box 247, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9487

FRIENDSHIP - Fred Walters
Rt. 1, Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-3316

GLENDALE SPRINGS - Bronda Elliott
308 Sunnyside Drive, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-9235

GRASSY CREEK - Dixie Hart
Rt. 1, Box 29, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363 703-579-4475

HEALING SPRINGS - Nancy Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3680½

LANDMARK - Linda Blevins
P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2028

LAUREL KNOB - Joanne Goodman
Rt. 1, Box 288, Todd, NC 28684 877-5354

LIBERTY GROVE - J.C. Trivette
Rt. 1, Box 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4061

LITTLE HELTON - Kay Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3173
MIDWAY - Don Goodman
Rt. 2, Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9426
MISSION HOME - Genevieve Grogan
Rt. 1, Box 155, Todd, NC 28684 877-3062
MOUNT OLIVE - Joann Hardin
Rt. 1, Box 87, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4469
NEW RIVER - Jaylene Warden
Rt. 1, Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663 372-4747
NORTH BEAVER - Geraldine Hartzog
Rt. 2, Box 190, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4222
OAK HILL - Junior Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3387
OBIDS - Nettie McNeill
Rt. 2, Box 367, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2748
OLD FIELDS - Phyllis Yates
Box 37, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4389
ORION - Nancy Woodie
Rt. 3, Box 740, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9897
PEAK VALLEY - Mrs. Weldon Shepherd
Rt. 1, Box 289, Creston, NC 28615 385-7733
PHOENIX - Mary Jane Ashley
Rt. 1, Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3111
PILOT MOUNTAIN - John Byland
Rt. 1, Box 25, Todd, NC 28684 704-262-1035
PINE SWAMP - Shelby Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 290, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4358
PLEASANT HOME - Sharon Parsons
Rt. 1, Box 306, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3883
PLEASANT VALLEY - Brenda Waddell
Rt. 1, Box 299-B, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3298
PROSPERITY - No report received
ROUND KNOB - Martha Cox
Rt. 2, Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626
SABBATH HOME - Ruby Hamm
Rt. 1, Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3491
STURGILLS - Edward Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - Carroll Roten
Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615 385-4931

TRINITY - Jesse Baldwin
Rt. 1, Box 138, Todd, NC 28684 877-3005
TUCKERDALE - Jeanette Davis
Rt. 1, Box 317-A, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2427
WAGONER - Elsie Poe
Rt. 1, Box 105, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-2467
WARRENSVILLE - Geraldine Reed
Rt. 3, Box 119, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-4748
WELCOME HOME - Deanna Sabastian
Rt. 1, Box 253, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3839
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Theresa Curd
Rt. 2, Box 410, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2912

DIRECTORY OF CHURCH TREASURERS

APPLE GROVE - Flossie Taylor
Rt. 1, Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2640
BALD MOUNTAIN - Ronnie Hopkins
Rt. 1, Box 679, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4420
BAPTIST HOME - None received
BEAVER CREEK - Wayne Patrick
Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4146
BETHEL - E.A. Phillips
Rt. 2, Box 155, West Jefferson, NC 28694
BIG FLATTS - Janet Jordan
Rt. 1, Box 219, Todd, NC 28684 877-4573
BIG LAUREL - Johnnie Roten
Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615 385-1448
BLUE RIDGE - Louise Hepler
Rt. 2, Box 308, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2742
BRISTOL - Mary Lambert
907 N. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2328
BUFFALO - Kim Furches
Rt. 3, Box 402, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5810
CALVARY - Bobby Lambert
Church Ave. West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3292
CLIFTON - Mary Richardson
Rt. 1, Box 257, Warrensville, NC 28693 385-6340
FARMER MEMORIAL - None received
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Jan Bare
110 Lawson Lane, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9569

FRIENDLY GROVE - Lois Severt
Rt. 3, Box 439, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7386
FRIENDSHIP - Ruby Little
1028 E. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2195
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Madge Hudler
Rt. 2, Box 498, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2542
GRASSY CREEK - Dixie Hart
Rt. 1, Box 29, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363 703-579-4475
HEALING SPRINGS - Rosemary Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 609, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3873
LANDMARK - Linda Blevins
P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2025
LAUREL KNOB - Imogene Goodman
840 E. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9500
LIBERTY GROVE - Mary South
P.O. Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4547
LITTLE HELTON - Kay Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3173
MIDWAY - Barbara Hodges
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3366
MISSION HOME - Gayle Phillips
Rt. 1, Box 212, Todd, NC 28684 877-4634
MOUNT OLIVE - Tony Caparolie
Rt. 1, Box 185, Todd, NC 28684 877-4634
NEW RIVER - Jaylene Warden
Rt. 1, Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663 372-4747
NORTH BEAVER - Elaine Sheets
Rt. 2, Box 796, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9004
OAK HILL - Burton Miller
Rt. 2, Box 15, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3385
OBIDS - Margaret Bare
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-3147
OLD FIELDS - Nelle Hayes
Rt. 3, Box 732, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5300
ORION - Ralph Jones
Rt. 1, Box 500, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2882
PEAK VALLEY - Mrs. Weldon Shepherd
Rt. 1, Box 289, Creston, NC 28615 385-7733
PHOENIX - Bruce Eller
Rt. 1, Box 77, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-2284
PILOT MOUNTAIN - Mary Greene
Rt. 1, Box 777, Boone, NC 28607
PINE SWAMP - Shelby Hartzog 877-4150
Rt. 2, Box 204, Fleetwood, NC 28626

PLEASANT HOME - Sue Weaver
Rt. 1, Box 290, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3550
PLEASANT VALLEY - Ward Ballou
Rt. 1, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3500
PROSPERITY - None received
ROUND KNOB - Annie Severt
Rt. 2, Box 160, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-5476
SABBATH HOME - Ruby Hamm
Rt. 1, Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3491
STURGILLS - Katherine Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - Carroll Roten
Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615 385-4931
TRINITY - Leslie Gentry
Rt. 1, Box 115, Deep Gap, Nc 28618 264-2117
TUCKERDALE - Ronda Powers
Rt. 2, Box 716, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2612
WAGONER - Irma Liddle
Rt. 1, Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 28643 982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - Harry Ashley
Rt. 2, Box 217, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3131
WELCOME HOME - Helen Williams
Rt. 3, Box 35, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2161
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Jennifer Dollar
P.O. Box 173, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3324

DIRECTORY OF MUSIC DIRECTORS

BALD MOUNTAIN - None received

BEAVER CREEK - Sandy Patrick
Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4146
BETHEL - Earl McNeill
P.O. Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7961
BIG FLATTS - Russell Phillips
Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-3457
BIG LAUREL - Johnnie Roten
Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615 385-1448
BLUE RIDGE - Patricia Hayworth
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4831

BRISTOL - Vaughn Baldwin
32 Ashe Pk. Road, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2269
BUFFALO - Charles Harless
Rt. 1, Box 270, West Jefferson, NC 28694 384-3192
CALVARY - Claybern Wagoner
Rt. 1, Bare Street, West Jefferson, NC 28694
CLIFTON - Heather Hartzog
Rt. 2, Box 40-A, Creston, NC 28615 385-6547
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Junior Greer
Rt. 3, Box 688, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7568
FRIENDLY GROVE - Dewey Campbell
P.O. Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5951
FRIENDSHIP - Linda Ball
Rt. 3, Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9530
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Dale Neaves
Rt. 1, Box 112, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2753
GRASSY CREEK - Nancy Phipps
Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363 703-579-7564
HEALING SPRINGS - Shannon Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3650
LANDMARK - R.L. Blevins
P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2025
LAUREL KNOB - Freda Goodman
Star Route Box 63B, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-5172
LIBERTY GROVE - William Scott
Rt. 1, Box 48, Todd, NC 28684 877-4579
LITTLE HELTON - Wilford Porter
Rt. 1, Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-2348
MIDWAY - None received

MISSION HOME - Jim Gentry
P.O. Box 1054, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2994
MOUNT OLIVE - Tony Caparolie
Rt. 1, Box 185, Todd, NC 28684 877-5256
NEW RIVER - A.T. Arnold
Rt. 1, Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3538
NORTH BEAVER - Bob Neaves
P.O. Box 206, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9735
OAK HILL - Junior Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3387

OBIDS - Vilena South
Rt. 2, Box 591, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2536
OLD FIELDS - Dianne Brown
Rt. 2, Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2627
ORION - Reba Osborn
P.O. Box 365, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-1062
PHOENIX - Bob Calhoun
Rt. 3, Box 26B, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3004
PLEASANT HOME - Beatrice Young
Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-2257
PLEASANT VALLEY - Ward Ballou
Rt. 1, Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3500
ROUND KNOB - Anna Belle Cox
Rt. 2, Box 154, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4681
SABBATH HOME - Ruby Hamm
Rt. 1, Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3491
STURGILLS - Edward Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2368
TUCKERDALE - Edison Harless
Rt. 2, Box 644, Lansing, NC 28643 982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - None received
WELCOME HOME - Claude Neaves
1450 N. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-3248

DIRECTORY OF BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS

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PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1988-89

	1987-88	1988-89
EDUCATION AND PROMOTION		
1. Sunday School	225.00	225.00
2. Church Training	175.00	175.00
3. Brotherhood	100.00	100.00
4. WMU	75.00	75.00
5. Church Music	50.00	50.00
6. Stewardship Promotion	50.00	50.00
7. Vacation Bible School	250.00	250.00
8. Preacher's Bible Conference	250.00	250.00
9. Evangelism	500.00	500.00
10. Key Leadership Conference	150.00	150.00
11. Associational Youth Program	200.00	300.00
Subtotal	$2,025.00	$2.125.00
II. ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE		
1. Office Equipment	1,100.00	1,100.00
2. Printing & Supplies	1,400.00	1,500.00
3. Postage	1,200.00	1,400.00
4. Assn. Calendar	200.00	400.00
5. Upkeep & Cleaning	200.00	200.00
Sub-Total	$4,100.00	$4,600.00

III.	SALARIES AND ALLOWANCES		
1.	Director of Missions	13,200.00	13,200.00
2.	Retirement	2,850.00	4,050.00
3.	Medical & Life Insurance	3,000.00	3,000.00
4.	Car Allowance	1,200.00	1,200.00
5.	Social Security Allowance	2,500.00	2,500.00
6.	Conventions & Conferences	1,500.00	1,500.00
7.	Secretarial Help	4,420.00	4,420.00
8.	Clerk/Treasurer	900.00	1,200.00
9.	Employees S.S. Tax (office Sec.)	316.03	332.00
	(Assn. Clerk)	64.35	90.53
	Sub-Total	$29,950.00	$31,492.53
IV.	BUILDING & EQUIPMENT		
1.	Utilities	2,500.00	2,500.00
2.	Insurance (Assn. Parsonage)	325.00	350.00
3.	Building Repair	500.00	500.00
		$3,325.00	$3,350.00
V.	MISCELLANEOUS		
1.	Mission Projects	100.00	100.00
2.	Miscellaneous	400.00	400.00
	Sub-Total	$500.00	$500.00
		$39,900.00	$42,067.53

ASSOCIATIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES

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COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM
(Chm.) Rev. Jimmy Warden, Rev. Claybern Roten, Fred Walters, Bob Williams, Allen Miller

CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS COMMITTEE
(Chm.) Charles Caudill, Burl Hartzog, Rev. Bill Day, Rev. Ken Morris, Jack Hardin

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(Chm.) Jim Vannoy, Edd Harless, Lloyd Witherspoon, Ralph Davis, Rev. Earl Sheets, Sr.

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Dir. Bill Ballou, Rev. Jerry Burleson, Rev. Ken Morris, Mrs. Shirley Vannoy

BAPTIST CAMP COMMITTEE
3 Yr. Term: Miss Willa Dean Church, Rev. Ray Ham, Miss Kimberly Caparolie
2 Yr. Term: Mrs. Joy McClure, Rev. David Testerman, Mrs. Joann Swift
1 Yr. Term: Mrs Nancy Phipps, Rev. Wayne Jones, Mr. Jack Ashley

TREASURER'S REPORT

On hand 1 July 1987	$1,580.88
Received from churches	36,038.77
Received from The Convention	1,099.98
Received for World Missions Conference	5,209.00
Special offering received from the Churches for DOM additional retirement	6,243.50
Received for Brazil trip	1,611.00
Received for Minute Books	1,617.75
Refund by Convention of Brazil trip funds	1,171.50
Miscellaneous receipts	1,976.49
TOTAL ON HAND AND RECEIVED	$56,548.87
PAID OUT	
Sunday School	102.40
WMU	50.00
Vacation Bible School	133.06
Evangelism	465.00
Youth	200.00
Office equipment	995.76
Office supplies	1,577.28
Postage	1,091.57
Associational Calendars	453.99
Cleaning supplies	200.20
Director of Missions - salary	13,200.20
Retirement	2,531.04
Special addition to retirement	6,243.50
Medical and life insurance	3,436.85
Car allowance	1,196.00
Social Security allowance	2,500.00
Conventions and conferences	1,483.20
Secretarial help	4,117.37
Clerk/Treasurer	900.00

Employee Social Security Taxes	386.60
Utilities	2,500.16
Insurance on parsonage and office	331.00
Building repair and maintenance	573.98
Dehumidifier for parsonage basement	313.97
Baptist State Convention, Brazil trip expenses of DOM (refunded $1,171.50)	1,200.00
Minute Books	2,062.47
Crusade expense	259.90
World Missions Conference expense	5,223.87
Deposited in savings for future Brazil trip	1,400.00
Miscellaneous expense	367.16
TOTAL AMOUNT PAID OUT	$55,496.53
BALANCE ON HAND June 1988	$1,052.34

CONTRIBUTIONS TO ASSOCIATION MISSIONS
1 JULY 1987 thru 30 JUNE 1988

APPLE GROVE	50.00
BALD MOUNTAIN	1,887.25
BAPTIST HOME	0
BETHEL	481.00
BIG FLATTS	120.00
BIG LAUREL	300.00
BLUE RIDGE	100.00
BRISTOL	1,404.95
BUFFALO	200.04
CALVARY	135.00
CHESTNUT HILL	0
CLIFTON	177.75
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	5,235.03
FRIENDLY GROVE	2,280.00
FRIENDSHIP	1,333.22
GLENDALE SPRINGS	180.00
GRASSY CREEK	600.00
HEALING SPRINGS	950.93
LANDMARK	120.00

LAUREL KNOB	597.56
LIBERTY GROVE	825.00
LIBERTY HILL	0
LITTLE HELTON	200.00
MIDWAY	3,836.00
MISSION HOME	1,000.04
MOUNT OLIVE	300.00
NEW RIVER	1,587.69
NORTH BEAVER	1,097.00
OAK HILL	120.00
OBIDS	104.00
OLD FIELDS	869.05
ORION	1,126.16
PEAK VALLEY	100.00
PHOENIX	999.96
PILOT MOUNTAIN	168.65
PINE SWAMP	125.00
PLEASANT HOME	534.61
PLEASANT VALLEY	0
ROUND KNOB	269.32
SABBATH HOME	0
SOUTH BEAVER	504.96
STURGILLS	500.00
THREE FORKS	325.00
TRINITY	1,775.75
TUCKERDALE	550.00
WAGONER	180.00
WARRENSVILLE	687.85
WELCOME HOME	600.00
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	1,500.00
TOTAL	$36,038.77

CONTRIBUTIONS TO ASHE BAPTIST CAMP
JULY 1, 1987 thru JUNE 30, 1988

BALD MOUNTAIN	240.00
BALD MOUNTAIN WMU	8.00
BALD MOUNTAIN B.Y.W	8.00
BETHEL	150.00
BIG LAUREL	60.00
BUFFALO	66.00
BRISTOL	100.00
CALVARY	50.00
CLIFTON	25.00
FRIENDLY GROVE	300.00
FRIENDLY GROVE WMU	16.00
FRIENDSHIP	360.00
FRIENDSHIP WMU	16.00
GRASSY CREEK	180.00
GRASSY CREEK WMU	16.00
HEALING SPRINGS	120.00
REV. J.F. FLETCHER	50.00
REV. J.F. FLETCHER WMU	18.00
LAUREL KNOB	50.00
LIBERTY GROVE	240.00
MIDWAY WMU	16.00
MISSION HOME	240.00
MISSION HOME WMU	16.00
NEW RIVER	402.05
NORTH BEAVER	88.00
OBIDS	65.00
ORION	175.00
PHOENIX	100.00
PLEASANT HOME	360.00
ROUND KNOB	30.00
SOUTH BEAVER	205.35
THREE FORKS	160.00
TRINITY	100.00
TRINITY WMU	16.00
TUCKERDALE	144.00
WAGONER	120.00
WAGONER WMU	16.00
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	1200.00
TOTAL	$5626.35

GIFTS FROM INDIVIDUALS, MEMORIALS, SISTER CHURCHES, AND ASSOCIATIONS

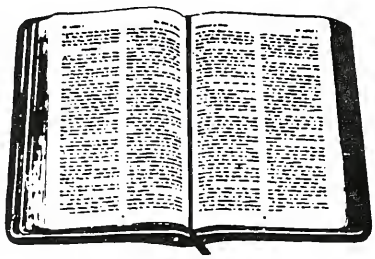
Miss Willa Dean Church	8.00
Stone Mountain Baptist Assn.	60.00
Baptist Women's Missionary Society	16.00
Fairplains Baptist Church	100.00
Warren Goodman Family	100.00
Snow Hill Baptist Church	60.00
Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church	54.00
Baptist Home Baptist Church	112.00
Mr. and Mrs. Luther Anderson, Jr.	200.00
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Goodman	100.00
Mr. and Mrs. David McClure	60.00
Alexander Baptist Assn.	30.00
East Iredell Elem. School	36.00
Baptist Home Baptist Church	88.00

TOTAL $1024.00

Addendum I - ARTICLES OF FAITH
(The Baptist State Faith and Message as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963)

THE BAPTIST FAITH and MESSAGE

A statement adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention



Baptist are a people who profess a living faith. This faith is rooted and grounded in Jesus Christ who is "the same yesterday and today and forever." Therefore, the sole authority for faith and practice among Baptists is Jesus Christ whose will is revealed in the Holy Scriptures.

A living faith must experience a growing understanding of truth and must be continually interpreted and related to the needs of each new generation. Throughout their history Baptist bodies' both large and small, have issued statements of faith which comprise a consensus of their beliefs. Such statements have never been regarded as complete, infallible statements of faith, nor as official creeds carrying mandatory authority. Thus this generation of Southern Baptists is in historic succession of intent and purpose as it endeavors to state for its time and theological climate those articles of the Christian faith which are most surely held among us.

Baptists emphasize the soul's competency before God, freedom in religion, and the priesthood of the believer. However, this emphasis should not be interpreted to mean that there is an absence of certain definite doctrines that Baptists believe, cherish, and with which they have been and are now closely identified.

It is the purpose of this statement of faith and message to set forth certain teachings which we believe.

The Scriptures

The Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is the record of God's revelation of Himself to many. It is a perfect treasure of divine instruction. It has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter.

Ex. 24:4; Deut. 4:1-2; 17:19; Josh. 8:34; Psalm 19:7-10; 119:11; 89; 105; 140; It reveals the principles by which God judges us; and therefore is, and will remain to the end of the world, the true center of Christian union, and the supreme standard by which all human conduct, creeds, and religious opinions should be tried. The criterion by which the Bible is to be interpreted is Jesus Christ.

Isa. 34:16; 40:8; Jer. 15:16; 36; Matt. 5:17-18; 22-29; Luke 21;33; 44-46; John 5:39; 16:13-15; 17:17 Acts 2:16 ff.; 17:11; Rom. 15:4 16:25-26; 2Tim. 3:15-17; Heb. 1:1-2; 4:12; 1 Peter 1:25; 2 Peter 1:19-21

God

There is one and only one living and true God. He is an intelligent, spiritual, and personal Being, the Creator, Redeemer, Preserver, and Ruler of the universe. God is infinite in holiness and all other perfections. To Him we owe the highest love, reverence, and obedience. The eternal God reveals Himself to us a Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, with distinct personal attributes, but without division of nature, essence, or being.

A. God the Father

God as Father reigns with providential care over His universe, His creatures and the flow of the stream of human history according to the purpose of His grace. He is all powerful, all loving, and all wise. God is Father in truth to those who become children of God through faith in Jesus Christ. He is fatherly in His attitude toward all men.

Gen. 1:1; 2:7; Ex. 3:14; 6:2-3; 15:11 ff.; 20:1 ff.; Lev. 22:2; Deut. 6:4; 32:6; 1 Chron. 29:10; Psalm 19:1-3; Isa. 43:3, 15;64:8 Jer. 10:10;, 17:13; Matt. 6:9 ff.; 7:11; 23:9; 28:19; Mark 1:9-11; John 4:24; 5:26; 14:6-13; 17:1-8; Acts 1:7; Rom. 8:14-15; 1 Cor. 8:6; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 4:6; Col. 1:15; 1 Tim. 1:17; Heb. 11:6; 12:9; 1 Peter 1:17; 1 John 5:7

B. God the Son

Christ is the eternal Son of God. In His incarnation as Jesus Christ he was conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. Jesus perfectly revealed and did the will of God, taking upon Himself the demands and necessities of human nature and identifying Himself completely with mankind yet without sin. He honored the divine law by His personal obedience, and in His death on the cross He made provision for the redemption of men from sin. He was raised from the dead with a glorified body and appeared to His disciples as the person who was with them before His crucifixion. He ascended into Heaven and is now exalted at the right hand of God where He is the One Mediator, partaking of the nature of God and of man, and in whose Person is effected the reconciliation between God and man. He will return in power and glory to judge the world and to consummmate His redemptive mission. He now dwells in all believers as the living and ever present Lord.

Gen. 18:1 ff.; Psalm 2:7 ff.; 110:1 ff.; Isa. 7:14; 53; Matt. 1:18-23; 3:17; 8:29; 11:27; 14:33; 16:16; 27; 17:5; 27; 28:1-6; 19; Mark 1:1; 3:11; Luke 1:35; 4:41; 22:70; 24:46; John 1:1-18; 29; 10:30; 38; 11:25-27; 12:44-50; 14:7-11; 16:15-16; 28; 17:1-5; 21-22; 20:1-20; 28; Acts 1:9; 2:22-24; 7:55-56; 9:4-5; 20; Rom. 1:3-4; 3:23-26; 5:6-21; 8:1-3; 34; 10-4; 1 Cor. 1:30; 2:2; 8:6; 15:1-8; 24-28; 2 Cor. 5:19-21; Gal. 4:4-5; Eph. 1:20; 3:11; 4:7-10; Phil. 2: 5-11; Col. 1: 13-22; 2:9; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 1 Tim. 2:5-6; 3:16; Titus 2:13-14; Heb. 1:1-3; 4:14-15; 7:14-28; 9:12-15; 24:28; 12:2; 13:8; 1 Peter 2:21-25; 3:22; 1 John 1:7-9; 3:2; 4:14-15; 5:9; 2 John 7-9; Rev. 1: 13-16; 5:9-14; 12:10-11; 13:8; 19:16

C. God the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of God. He inspired holy men of old to write the scriptures. Through illumination He enables me to understand truth. He exalts Christ. He convicts of sin, of righteousness and of judgement. He calls men to the Saviour, and effects regeneration. He cultivates Christian characters, comforts believers, and bestows the spiritual gifts by which they serve God through His church. He seals the believers unto the day of final redemption. His presence in the Christian is the assurance of God to bring the believers into the fulness of the stature of Christ. He enlightens and empowers the believer and the church in worship, evangelism, and service.

Gen. 1:2; Judg. 14:6; Job 26:13; Psalm 51:11; 139; 7 ff.; Isa. 61:1-3; Joel 2: 28-32; Matt. 1:18; 3:16; 4:1; 12:28-32; 28:19; Mark 1:10; 12; Luke 1:35; 4:1; 18-19; 11:13; 12:12; 24-49; John 4:24; 14: 16-17; 26; 15:26; 16:7-14; Acts 1:8; 2: 1-4; 38; 4:31; 5:3; 6:3; 7:55; 8:17; 39; 10:44; 13:2; 15:28; 16:6; 19:1-6; Rom. 8:9-11; 14-16; 26-27; 1 Cor. 2:10-14; 3:16; 12:3-11; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 1:13-14; 4:30; 5:18; 1 Thes. 5:19; 1 Tim. 3:16; 4:1; 2 Tim. 1:14; 3:16; Heb. 9:8; 14:2; Peter 1-21; 1 John 4:13; 5:6-7; Rev. 1:10; 22:17

Men

Man was created by the special act of God, in his own image, and is the crowning work of His creation. In the beginning man was innocent of sin and was endowed by His Creator with freedom of choice. By his free choice man sinned against God and brought sin into the human race. Through the temptation of Satan man trangressed the command of God, and fell from his original innocence; whereby his posterity inherit a nature and an environmental inclined toward sin, and as soon as they are capable of moral action become transgressors and are under condemnation. Only the grace of God can bring man into His holy fellowship and enable man to fulfill the creative purpose of God. The sacredness of human personality is evident in that God created man in His own image, and in that Christ died for man; therefore every man possesses dignity and is worthy of respect and Christian love.

Gen. 1:26-30; 2:5; 7; 18-22; 3; 9-6; Psalm 1; 8:3-6; 32:1-5; 51:5; Isa. 6:5; Jer. 17:5; Matt. 16:26; Acts 17:26-31; Rom. 1:19,32; 3:10-18; 23; 5; 6; 12; 19; 6:6; 7:14-25; 8:14-18; 1 Cor. 1:21-31; 15:19; 21-22; Eph. 2:1-22; 3:9-11

Salvation

Salvation involves the redemption of the whole man, and is offered freely to all who accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, who by His own blood obtained eternal redemption for the believer. In its broadest sense salvation includes regeneration, sanctification, and glorification.

A. Regeneration, or the new birth, is a work of God's grace whereby believers become new creatures in Christ Jesus. It is a change of heart wrought by the Holy Spirit through conviction of sin, to which the sinner responds in repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Repentance and faith are inseparable experiences of grace. Repentance is a genuine turning from sin toward God. Faith is the acceptance of Jesus Christ and commitment of the entire personality to Him as Lord and Saviour. Justification is God's gracious and full acquittal upon principles of His righteousness of all sinners who repent and believe in Christ. Justification brings the believer into a relationship of peace and favor with God.

B. Sanctification is the experience, beginning in regeneration, by which the believer is set apart to God's purposes, and is enabled to progress toward moral and spiritual perfection through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit dwelling in him. Growth in grace should continue throughout the regenerate person's life.

C. Glorification is the culmination of salvation and is the final blessed and abiding state of the redeemed.

Gen. 3:15; Ex. 3:14-17; 6:2-8; Matt. 1:21; 4:17; 16:21-26; 27:22 to 28; 6; Luke 1:68-69; 2:28-32; John 1:11-14; 29; 3:3-21; 36; 5;24; 10:9; 28-29; 15:1-16; 17:17; Acts 2:21; 4:12; 15:11; 16:30-31; 17:30-31; 20:32; Rom. 1:16-18; 2:4; 3:23-25; 4:3 ff.; 5:8-10; 6:1-23; 8:1-18; 29-39; 10:9-10; 13:11-14; 1 Cor. 1:18; 30; 6: 19-20; 15:10; 2 Cor. 5:17-20; Gal. 2:20; 3:13, 5:22-25; 6:15; Eph. 1:7; 2:8-22; 4:11-16; Phil. 2:12-13; Col. 1:9-22; 3:1 ff.; 1 Thes. 5:23-24; 2 Tim. 1:12; Titus 2:11-14; Heb. 2:1-3; 5:8-9; 9:24-28; 11:1-12; 8; 14; James 2:14-16; 1 Peter 1:2-23; 1 John 1:6 to 2:11; Rev. 3:20; 21:1 to 22:5

God's Purpose and Grace

Election is the gracious purpose of God, according to which He regenerates, sanctifies, and glorifies sinners. It is consistent with the free agency of man, and comprehends all the means in connection with the end. It is a glorious display of God's sovereign goodness, and is infinitely wise, holy, and unchangeable. It excludes boasting and promotes humility.

All true believers endure to the end. Those whom God has accepted in Christ, and sanctified by His Spirit, will never fall away from the state of grace, but shall persevere to the end. Believers may fall into sin through neglect and temptation, whereby they grieve the Spirit, impair their graces and comforts, bring reproach on the cause of Christ, and temporal judgements on themselves, yet they shall be kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-8; Sam. 8:4-7; 19-22; Isa. 5:1-7; Jer. 31:31 ff.; Matt. 16:18-19; 21:28-45; 24:22; 31; 25:34; Luke 1:68-79; 2:29-32; 19:41-44; 24:44-48; John 1:12-14; 3:16; 5:24; 6:44-45; 65; 10:27-29; 15; 16; 17:6; 12:17-18; Acts 20:32; Rom. 5:9-10; 8:28-39; 10:12-15;

11:5-7; 26-36; 1 Cor. 1:1-2; 15:24-28; Eph. 1:4-23; 2:1-10; 3:1-11; Col. 1:12-14; 2 Thes. 2:13-14; 2 Tim. 1:12; 2:10; 19; Heb. 11:39; 12:2; 1 Peter 2-5; 13; 2:4-10; 1 John 1:7-9; 2:19; 3:2

The Church

A New Testament church of the Lord Jesus Christ is a local body of baptized believers who are associated by covenant in the faith and fellowship of the gospel, observing the two ordinances of Christ, committed to His teachings, exercising the gifts, rights, and privileges invested in them by His Word, and seeking to extend the gospel to the ends of the earth.

This church is an autonomous body, operating through democratic processes under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. In such a congregation members are equally responsible. Its Scriptural officers are pastors and deacons.

The New Testament speaks also of the church as the body of Christ which includes all of the redeemed of all ages.

Matt. 16:15-19; 18:15-20; Acts 2:41-42; 47; 5:11-14; 6:3-6; 13:1-3; 14:23; 27; 15:1-30; 16:5 20:28; Rom. 1:7; 1 Cor. 1:2; 3:16; 5:4-5; 7:17; 9:13-14; 12; Eph. 1:22-23; 2:19-22; 3:8-11; 21; 5:22-32; Phil. 1:1; Col. 1:18; 1 Tim. 3:1-15; 4:14; 1 Peter 5:1-4; Rev. 2-3; 21:2-3

Baptism and the Lord's Supper

Christian baptism in the immersion of a believer in water in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. It is an act of obedience symbolizing the believer's faith in a crucified, buried, and risen Saviour, the believer's death to sin, the burial of the old life, and in the resurrection to walk in newness of life in Christ Jesus. It is a testimony to his faith in the final resurrection of the dead. Being a church ordinance, it is prerequisite to the privileges of church membership and to the Lord's Supper.

The Lord's Supper is a symbolic act of obedience whereby members of the church, through partaking of the bread and the fruit of the vine, memorialize the death of the Redeemer and anticipate His second coming.

Matt. 3:13-17; 26:26-30; 28:19-20; Mark 1:9-11; 14:22-26; Luke 3:21-22; 22:19-20; John 3:23; Acts 2:41-42; 8:35-39; 16:30-33; Acts 20:7; Rom. 6:3-5; 1 Cor. 10:16; 21; 11:23-29; Col. 2:12

The Lord's Day

The first day of the week is the Lord's Day. It is a Christian institution for regular observance. It commemorates the resurrection of Christ from the dead and should be employed in exercises of worship and spiritual devotion, both public and private, and by refraining from worldy amusements, and resting from secular employments, work of necessity and mercy only being excepted.

Ex. 20:8-11; Matt. 12:1-12; 28:1 ff.; Mark 2:27-28; 16:1-7;Luke 24:1-3; 33-36; John 4:21-24; 20:1; 19-28; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:1-2, Col. 2:16; 3:16; Rev. 1:10

The Kingdom

The Kingdom of God includes both His general sovereignty over the universe and His particular kinship over men who willfully acknowledge Him as King. Particularly the Kingdom is the realm of salvation into which men enter by trustful, childlike, commitment to Jesus Christ. Christians ought to pray and to labor that the Kingdom may come and God's will be done on earth. The full consummation of the Kingdom awaits the return of Jesus Christ and the end of this age.

Gen. 1:1; Isa. 9:6-7; Jer. 23;5-6; Matt. 3:2; 4:8-10; 23; 12:25-28; 13:1-52; 25:31-46; 26:29; Mark 1:14-15; 9-1; Luke 4:43; 8:1; 9:2; 12:31-32; 17:20-21; 23:42; John 3:3; 18-36; Acts 1:6-7; 17:22-31; Rom. 5:17; 8:19; 1 Cor. 15:24-28; Col. 1:13; Heb. 11:10 16; 12:28; 1 Peter 2:4-10; 4:13; Rev. 1:6; 9; 5:10; 11:15; 21-22

Last Things

God, in His own time and in His own way, will bring the world to its appropriate end. According to His promise, Jesus Christ will return personally and visibly in glory to the earth; the dead will be raised; and Christ will judge all men in righteousness. The unrighteous will be consigned to Hell, the place of everlasting punishment. The righteous in their resurrected and glorified bodies will receive their reward and will dwell forever in Heaven with the Lord.

Isa. 2:4; 11:9; Matt. 16-27; 18:8-9; 19:28; 24:27; 30; 36; 44; 25:31-46; 26:64; Mark 8:38; 9:43-48; Luke 12:40; 48; 16:19-26; 17:22-37; 21:27-28; John 14:1-3; Acts 1:11; 17:31; Rom. 14:10; 1 Cor. 4:5; 15:24-28; 35-58; 2 Cor. 5:10; Phil. 3:20-21; Col. 1:5; 3:4; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 5:1 ff.; 2 Thes. 1:7 ff.; 2; 1 Tim. 6:14; 2 Tim. 4:1; 8; Titus 2:13; Heb. 9:27-28; James 5:8 2 Peter 3:7 ff.; 1 John 2:28; 3-2; Jude 14; Rev. 1:18; 3:11; 20:1 to 22:13

Evangelism and Missions

It is the duty and privilege of every follower of Christ and of every church of the Lord Jesus Christ to endeavor to make disciples of all nations. The new birth of man's spirit by God's Holy Spirit means the birth of love for others. Missionary efforts on the part of all rests thus upon a spiritual necessity of the regenerate life, and is expressly and repeatedly commanded in the teachings of Christ. It is the duty of every child of God to seek constantly to win the lost to Christ by personal effort and by all other methods in harmony with the gospel of Christ.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-6; Isa. 6:1-8; Matt. 9:37-38; 10:5-15; 13:18-30; 37-43; 16:19; 22:9-10; 24:14; 28:18-20; Luke 10:1-18; 24:46-53; John 14:11-12; 15:7-8; 16; 17:15; 20:21; Acts 1:8; 2; 8:26-40; 10:42-48; 13:2-3; Rom. 10: 13-15; Eph. 3:1-11; 1 Thes. 1:8; 2 Tim. 4-5; Heb. 2:1-3; 11:39 to 12:2 1 Peter 2:4-10; Rev. 22:17

Education

The cause of education in the Kingdom of Christ is co-ordinate with the causes of missions and general benevolence, and should receive along with these the liberal support of the churches. An adequate system of Christian schools is necessary to a complete spiritual program for Christ's people.

In Christian education there should be a proper balance between academic freedom and academic responsibility. Freedom in any orderly relationship of human life is always limited and never absolute. The freedom of a teacher in a Christian school, college, or seminary is limited by the preeminence of Jesus Christ, by the authoritive nature of the Scriptures, and by the distinct purpose for which the school exists.

Deut. 4:1; 5:9; 14; 6:1-10; 31:12-13; Neh. 8:1-8; Job 28:28; Psalm 19:7 ff.; 119:11; Prov. 3:13 ff.; 4:1-10; 8:1-7; 11; 15:14; Eccl. 7:19; Matt. 5:2; 7:24 ff.; 28:19-20; Luke 2:40; 1 Cor. 1:18-31; Eph. 4:11-16; Phil. 4:8; Col. 2:3; 8-9; 1 Tim. 1:3-7; Tim. 2:15; 3:14-17; Heb. 5:12 to 6:3; James 1:5; 3:17

Stewardship

God is the source of all blessings, temporal, and spiritual; all that we have and are we owe to Him. Christians have a spiritual debtorship to the whole world, a holy trusteeship in the gospel, and a binding

stewardship in their possessions. They are therefore under obligations to serve Him with their time, talents, and material possessions; and should recognize all these as entrusted to them to use for the glory of God and for helping others. According to the Scriptures, Christians should contribute of their means cheerfully, regularly, systematically, proportionately, and liberally for the advancement of the Redeemer's cause on earth.

Gen. 14:20; Lev. 27:30-32; Deut. 8:18; Ma. 3:8-12; Matt. 6:1-4; 19-21; 23:23; 25:14-29; Luke 12:16-21; 42; 16:1-13; Acts 2:44-47; 5:1-11, 17:24-25; Rom. 6:6-22; 12:1-2; 1 Cor. 4:1-2; 6:19-20; 12; 16:1-4; 2 Cor. 8-9; 12:15; Phil. 4:10-19; 1 Peter 1:18-19

Cooperation

Christ's people should, as occasion requires, organize such associations and conventions as may best secure cooperation for the great objects of the Kingdom of God. Such organizations have no authority over one another or over the churches. They are voluntary and advisory designed to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of our people in the most effective manner. Members of New Testament churches should cooperate with one another in carrying forward the missionary, educational, and benevolent ministries for the extension of Christ's Kingdom. Christian unity in the New Testament sense is spiritual harmony and voluntary cooperation for common ends by various groups of Christ's people. Cooperation is desirable between the various Christian denominations, when the end to be attained is itself justified, and when such cooperation involves no violation of conscience or compromise of loyalty to Christ and His Word as revealed in the New Testament.

Ex. 17:12; 18:17 ff.; Judg. 7:21; Ezra 1:3-4; 2:68-69; 5:14-15; Neh. 4; 8:1-5; Matt. 10:5-15; 20:1-16; 22:1-10; 28:19-20; Mark 2:3; Luke 10:1 ff.; Acts 1:13-14; 2:1 ff.; 4:31-37; 13:2-3; 15:1-35; 1 Cor. 1:10-17; 3:5-15; 12; 2 Cor. 8-9; Gal. 1:6-10; Eph. 4:1-16; Phil. 1:15-18

The Christian and the Social Order

Every Christian is under obligation to seek to make the will of Christ supreme in his own life and in human society. Means and methods used for the improvement of society and the establishment of righeousness among men can be truly and permanently helpful only when they are rooted in the regeneration of the individual by the

saving grace of God in Christ Jesus. The Christian should oppose in the spirit of Christ every form of greed, selfishness, and vice. He should work to provide for the orphaned, the needy, the aged, the helpless and the sick. Every Christian should seek to bring industry, government, and society as a whole under the sway of the principles of righteousness, truth and brotherly love. In order to promote these ends Christians should be ready to work with all men of good will in any good cause always being carefull to act in the spirit of love without compromising their loyalty to Christ and His truth.

Ex. 20:3-17; Lev. 6:2-5; Deut. 10:12; 27:17; Psalm 101:5; Mic. 6:8; Zech. 8:16; Matt. 5:13-16; 43-48; 22:36-40; 25:35; Mark 1:29-34; 2:3 ff.; 10:21; Luke 4:18-21; 10:27-37; 20-25; John 15:12; 17:15; Rom. 12-14; 1 Cor. 5:9-10; 6:1-7; 7:20-24; 10:23 to 11:1; Gal. 3:26-28; Eph. 6:5-9; Col. 3:12-17; Thes. 3:12; Philemon; James 1:27:2-8

Peace and War

It is the duty of Christians to seek peace with all men on principles of righteousness. In accordance with the spirit and teachings of Christ they should do all in their power to put an end to war.

The true remedy for the war spirit is the gospel of our Lord. The supreme need of the world is the acceptance of His teachings in all the affairs of men and nations, and the practical applications of His laws of love.

Isa. 2:4; Matt. 5:9; 38-48; 6:33; 26-52; Luke 22:36; 38; Rom. 12:18-19; 13:1-7; 14:19; Heb. 12:14; James 4:1-2

Religious Liberty

God alone is Lord of the conscience and He has left it free from the doctrines and commandments of men which are contrary to His Word or not contained in it. Church and state should be separate. The state owes to every church protection and full freedom in the pursuit of its spiritual ends. In providing for such freedom no ecclesiastical group or denomination should be favored by the state more than others. Civil government being ordained of God, it is the duty of Christians to render loyal obedience thereto in all things not contrary to the

revealed will of God. The church should not resort to the civil power to carry on its work. The gospel of Christ contemplates spiritual means alone for the pursuit of its ends. The state has no right to impose penalties for religious opinions of any kind. The state has no right to impose taxes for the support of any form of religion. A free church in a free state is the Christian ideal, and this implies the right of free and unhindered access to God on the part of all men, and the right to form and propagate opinions in the sphere of religion without interference by the civil power.

Gen. 1:27; 2:7; Matt 6:6-7; 24:16:26; 22:21; John 8:36; Acts 4:19-20; Rom. 6:1-2; 13:1-7; Gal. 5:1 13; Phil. 3:20; 1 Tim. 2:1-2; James 4:12; 1 Peter 2:12-17; 3:11-17; 4:12-19

CONSTITUTION

Article I - Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communitites closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken, as may be decided upon by the Association.

Section 5. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership and may receive churches according to the Association's Constitution and By-Laws. Any church in the Association which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years shall be contacted by the Executive Committee of the association to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association.

A cooperating church shall be defined as one which sends a report (Church Letter) to the annual session, is represented (by messengers) at the annual session, contributes to the financial program of the association and is in general sympathy with the purposes of the association. The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association.

Article II - Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in cooperating with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III - Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV - Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Moderator of the Association (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) to preside over the annual sessions and all special sessions including the meetings of the Executive Committee. As the presiding officer, he shall open the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforce the rules, preserve the order, and exercise all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parlimentary usage. He shall name the committees and representatives of Institutions and agencies described in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Article V of the Constitution at the opening of the annual session. He shall be elected for a one year term, and he cannot succeed himself after the second consecutive term.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the proceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. (1) The Director of Missions shall be elected upon a recommendation of the Committee on Missions, and by vote of the Association at a regularly scheduled meeting. The relationship between the Association and its Director of Missions may be terminated following a reasonable notice of not less than 30 days.

(2) The Director of Missions shall promote the work and witness of the Association and denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers and Associational committees and organizations.

A. He shall be responsible for planning, promoting and executing the ministry of the Association in cooperation with the Committee on Missions.

B. He shall make an annual report to the Association at the August meeting.

C. He shall be an ex officio member of all committees of the Association serving in an advisory and/or resource capacity.

D. He shall seek to visit each church in the Association in order to:

(1) Enrich Christian fellowship among churches.

(2) Encourage and strengthen the ministry of the churches.

(3) Enhance the cooperative relationship between the churches and the Association.

E. He shall, when necessary, conduct surveys or inquiries in order to determine specific needs for ministry within the area of the Association.

F. He shall, upon request, provide a list of qualified persons who may be considered by churches seeking pastors.

G. He shall have full administrative responsibility for all personnel employed by the Association.

(3) The Director of Missions is entitles to two weeks vacation annually. Upon completion of five years service, the Director of Missions shall be entitled to three weeks annual vacation, and after ten years, four weeks annual vacation. Vacation is to be taken within the calendar year, and it is not accumulative.

The Director Of Missions is entitled to 30 days sick leave per calendar year, sick leave is not to be taken as vacation, and it is not accumulative.

(4) Should there occur at any time a grievance on the part of the Association or the Director of Missions, either party may consult with the Moderator and Chairmen of the Missions Committees.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished, and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next session.

Article V - Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, Mission Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Association Executive Committee shall be composed of one lay member of all churches, the pastors of such churches and the officers of the Association as listed under Section 1 of Article IV. Twelve members of this committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business, after notice of such meeting has been mailed or otherwise given to all members of the committee at least three days prior to the proposed meeting. Members of this committee shall be elected by the churches annually.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator, ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct the organization of new churches in accordance with the rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting, including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister to deliver the Associational Sermon and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members who shall bring to the next annual session following their appointment, nominations for the several officers of the association, including, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, and Clerk/Treasurer. Exceptions will be Organizational Heads which are named by their respective organizations. The Nomination Committee shall also submit the names of all committee members, the only exceptions beng the Nominating, Place & Preacher, and Resolutions Committees which are appointed by the Moderator. The Officers and Committees named in this article shall be elected on the first day of each annual session, subject to additional nomination from the floor and the expressed will of the Association.

Section 8. The Moderator is authorized and directed to appoint suitable persons at each session to prepare and present to the next session reports on the various subjects and causes customary to be presented and to notify such persons in due time before the meeting of the Association.

Section 9. The Board of Directors of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three (3) for one year, three (3) for two years, and three(3) for three years.

Of the said nine members, three shall be active pastors in the Association. After the completion of one term, no member shall be eligible for re-election to this board until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this board may be chosen from any one church of the Association. The treasurer of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp (who shall serve in addition to the nine member Board of Directors) shall be elected by the Board of Directors on an indefinite basis. He/She shall have charge of the collection and disbursement

of all designated funds as instructed by the Board of Directors. He/She shall have voting privileges as do other members.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to cooperate with the officials, pastors, and Executive Committee of the Association in promoting and advancing the development and operation of the camp; to supervise and direct the work of the camp; and to make a report to the Association at each annual meeting. Vacancies occuring in this organization shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 10. The Missions Committee shall consist of five members composed of the following organizational heads: Sunday School, Church Training, W.M.U., Brotherhood and Associational Music Director. The committee shall be elected annually. It shall work with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of the Association and lead and assist in determining need for beginning new mission stations and organizing new churches. The Moderator and the Director of Missions shall be ex-officio members of this committee.

Section 11. The Ordination Committee shall consist of five (5) members, at least three of whom shall be pastors, serving in the association. The Chairman, at his discretion, may invite the pastor of a candidate to sit with the committee. Churches of the association desiring to ordain a preacher to the Gospel Ministry and desiring to use the services of the Ordination Committee of the Ashe Baptist Association shall use the following procedure.

1. The church in conference shall vote to ask the Ordination Committee to examine the candidate and so notify the chairman.
2. The candidate shall meet the following conditions before ordination.
   (a) Hold membership in a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (b) Shall have been called a pastor of a Cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (c) Shall have held a license to preach, issued by a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church for not less than six months.
3. The Chairman shall set a suitable time and place, notifying the members, for the examination.
4. The candidate shall be examined as to his Conversion, Call to the Ministry, Doctrinal Beliefs, Attitude toward our denomination and its programs.
5. The Committee Chariman shall notify the church of its recommendations and they may proceed with the ordination.

Article V - Section 12

Section 12. The Evangelism Committee, composed of 6 members, shall promote the work of Evangelism in the churches and the association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its executive Committee.

Article V - Section 13 Constitution and By-Laws Committee

Section 13. The nominating committee shall nominate a committee on Constitution and By-Laws consisting of five members, of which the first named shall serve as chairman. It shall be the duty of this committee to receive, examine and make recommendations to the Association on all proposed amendments to the Constitution or the By-Laws.

Article V - Section 14 - Properties Committee

Section 14. The nominating committee shall nominate a Properties Committee which shall consist of three members and shall have the reponsibility of recommending the purchase of necessary property and the construction of necessary buildings. This committee shall recommend any repairs and improvements needed on associational property. All recommendations subject to approval by the Executive Committee between sessions or the full-body session.

Article VI - Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening in the month of August of each year, at such time and place as may be designated or authorized by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII - Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as herein before provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII - Power and Perogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowhip from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to cooperate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX - Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.

2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the Only rule of Faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.

4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.

6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with the church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.

7. We believe in the final perserverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.

8. We believe in a separate resurrection and judgment, both for the righteous, and unrighteous dead.

9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.

2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.

3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.

4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.

5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

1. Apple Grove
2. Farmers Memorial
4. Big Laurel
5. Sabbath Home
6. Tuckerdale
7. Long Branch
9. Clifton
10. Three Forks
11. Baptist Home
12. Pine Mountain
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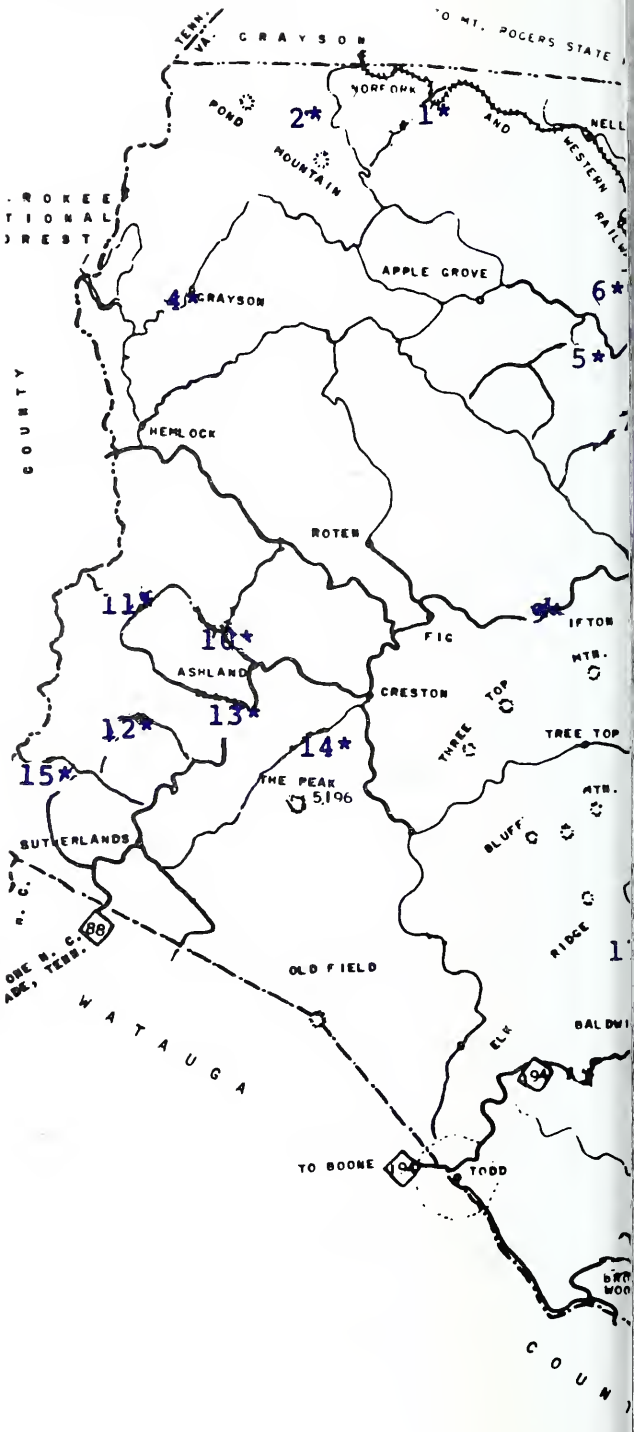

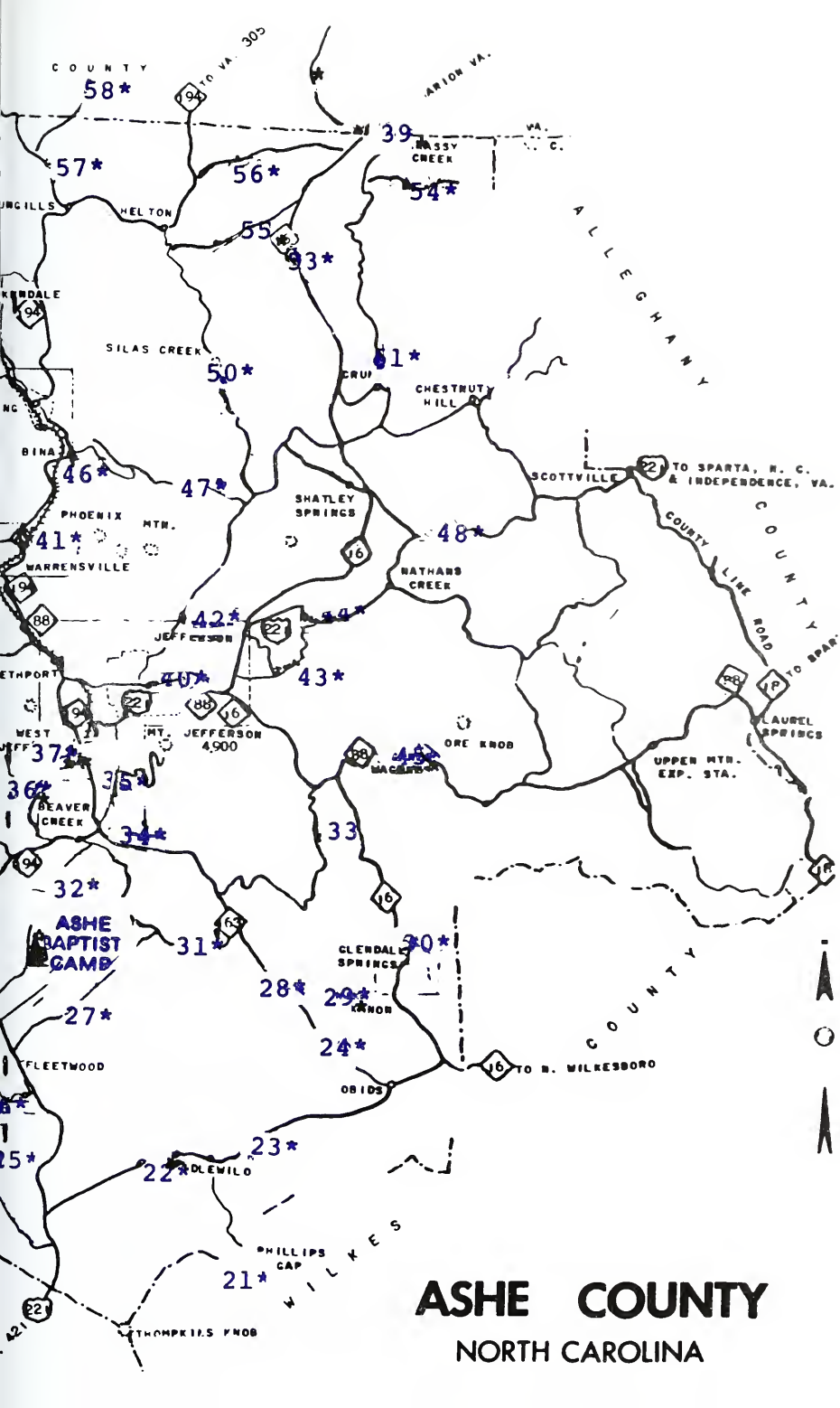
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Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and the assemble, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation; and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES OF THE ONE-HUNDRED SECOND ANNUAL SESSION OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION August 19, 1988

The One Hundred Second Annual Session of the Ashe Baptist Association met on August 19, 1988 at the Summer Camp with the afternoon session beginning at 2:00 p.m.

Call to order by Moderator Marvin Osborne who asked all to stand and join in the singing of "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Welcome and devotional by Rev. John Leek, Pastor of Orion Baptist Church, the Friday session host church. Rev. Leek also led in prayer.

Moderator Osborne conducted the seating of the delegates and asked for a motion to adopt the Order of Business. This motion was made by Jerry Burleson, seconded by Johnny Goodman, voted on and carried.

Visitors were recognized and asked to stand.

New pastors present included Rev. Joe Riley Blevins of Welcome Home, Rev. Charles Edwards of Friendly Grove, Rev. Marvin Smith of Pleasant Home and Rev. Johnny Blevins of Friendship.

There was not a new church member during the past year.

The moderator announced members of the committees appointed by him annually and as printed in the program.

During the business session, Rev. David Blackburn conducted the balance of the meeting.

The following officers were also nominated by the Nominating Committee and approved by the body: Vice Moderator - Marvin Osborne; Clerk/Treasurer - Jeannie McNeill; Sunday School Director - Rev. Ervil Jones; Church Training Director - Mrs. Gwen Elliott; WMU Director - Mrs. Ruth Calhoun; Church Music - Dewey Campbell; Brotherhood - Jimmy Lambert.

Moderator Blackburn then reminded everyone of the rules of order by reading the same.

Roll call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill with the following 42 churches having representatives present: Bald Mountain, Bethel, Big Flatts, Big Laurel, Bristol, Buffalo, Calvary, Clifton, Fletcher Memorial, Friendly Grove, Friendship, Glendale Springs, Healing Springs, Landmark, Laurel Knob, Liberty Grove, Little Helton, Midway, Mission Home, Mount Olive, New River, North Beaver, Oak Hill, Obids, Old Fields, Orion, Phoenix, Pilot Mountain, Pine Swamp, Pleasant Home, Pleasant Valley, Round Knob, Sabbath Home, South Beaver, Sturgills, Three Forks, Trinity, Tuckerdale, Wagoner, Warrensville, Welcome Home, and West Jefferson First.

"Wonderful Words of Life" was sung and led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Baptist Hospital, Inc. report given by Mr. Wayne Murphy who included in his report that during the past year the Baptist Hospital had done 32 kidney transplants and 12 heart transplants and all are doing well. The hospital is now doing ligament transplants and free muscle transfers as well as many other procedures and are recruiting nurses and health care workers. Motion to adopt this report made by Joe Eastridge, seconded by Stuart Scott, voted on and carried.

Baptist Retirement Homes report by Ray Jones who asked, "How then shall we care"? "How then shall we care better"? Mr. Jones continued, "We as Baptist people have to rise to meet the needs of our older adults. To allow them to live out their lives with dignity". Motion to adopt this report by Rev. Ken Morris, seconded by Rev. Bill Burchette, voted on and carried.

Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute report by Rev. Alex Booth. Rev. Booth reported that Fruitland is doing well and is operating in the black. He asked that we "pray that God will see to it that we are true to his word and loyal to his purpose". Motion to adopt this report by Rev. Bill Burchette, seconded by Harold Culbreth, voted on and carried.

Rev. Tom Lolley, Area Missionary, gave his report with a motion to adopt by Johnny Goodman, seconded by Clemmie Wilcox, voted on and carried.

Broughton Hospital report presented by Ms. Betty Hooks who reported that this hospital serves 35 counties including Ashe. Last year they served 2356 individuals including 27 patients from Ashe County. Motion to adopt by Worth Phillips, seconded by Joe Eastridge, voted on and carried.

Baptist Children's Home report made by Charles Tanner. Included in his report was that through maternity care two young girls from Ashe County had been cared for last year. Also served last year 1,000 children coming from every part of this State. He also reminded those present that it was 104 years ago that Baptist decided to care for children in need. Motion to adopt by Ken Morris, seconded by Blanch Oliver, voted on and carried.

Rev. Henry Stokes of Wake Forest University reported that they offer 23 different types of scholarships. They also have available Ministerial Aid Fund, Pastor's School, Baptist Men and Boys Day, Baptist Student Day, Pastor's Football Day, and Bible Study to name a few. Motion to accept this report by Johnny Blevins, seconded by Ken Morris, voted on and carried.

Those present were led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden in the singing of "More About Jesus".

Pastor's Conference report given by Rev. Billy Joe Blevins who moved for the adoption of this report. Seconded by Rev. Gary Teague, voted on and carried.

Baptist Camp report of Earl McNeill given in his absence by Bill Ballou who moved for its adoption; seconded by Jerry South, voted on and carried.

WMU Centennial report made by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Mrs. Rae Bowers, voted on and carried.

Delegates joined in the singing of "Victory in Jesus" as led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Baptist Hospital report given by Rev. Jerry Burleson who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Delmas Parker, discussion by Joseph Eastridge and Jerry Burleson, voted on and carried.

Mrs. Blanch Oliver stated she has been in attendance of the Associational Meeting for approximately sixty years, having missed only one.

Seminary Extension report by Rev. Jack Pugh who moved for its adoption; seconded by Bill Burchette, voted on and carried.

Southern Baptist Convention Annuity report by Rev. Ervel Jones who moved for its adoption; seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

Evangelism report presented by Rev. Jimmy Warden who moved for its adoption; seconded by Joe Montague, voted on and carried.

Pastor's Salary and Retirement report given by Rev. John Leek who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Jerry Burleson, voted on and carried.

The history of Orion Baptist Church was given by Rev. John Leek who moved for adoption, seconded by Mrs. E.Z. Sexton, voted on and carried.

Bill Ballou recognized visitors Ed Long and Latt Beshears.

Executive Committee Report given by Committee Chairman Marvin Osborne who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Joseph Eastridge, voted on and carried.

Christian Action League report given by Delmas Parker who discussed the likelihood of the North Carolina Legislature being asked to permit pari-mutual betting in North Carolina. He moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by David Testerman, voted on and carried.

"All the Way My Savior Leads Me" was led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Associational Sermon was delivered by the pastor of Pilot Mountain Baptist Church by Rev. Gwen Day who read 1 Kings 18 beginning with verse 15 and asked Rev. Billy Joe Blevins to lead in prayer. Rev. Day stated "the Bible does not teach us to compromise". "We should live and act as though we are the church of the living God. We have forsaken the true and living way and gone our own way.....Are we going to serve God his way or the world's way.....We should give to God the very best".

Host pastor, John Leek, gave instructions for the evening meal and Rev. Gary Teague gave the benediction and asked the blessing.

After an abundant and delicious meal the evening session began with the singing of "Heaven Came Down" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

The Moderator expressed appreciation to Orion Church for the wonderful meal served to the Associational delegates and guests. He asked Rev. Dean Watson to lead in devotional prayer.

Special music by Dewey and Irene Campbell who sang "I'd Rather Have Jesus", and Herbert Parunak who sang "It Is Well With My Soul" accompanied by Jimmy Warden at the piano.

Moderator David Blackburn introduced Marvin Osborne for the Moderator's address. Mr. Osborne read Exodus 18:13-27 and spoke on how "we can share responsibilities and get so much more done for the Lord when we combine our efforts than we can do individually".

Treasurer's Report presented by Jeannie McNeill. Motion to adopt made by Gwyn Elliott, seconded by Ralph Davis, voted on and carried.

Proposed Budget for 1988-89 presented by Garner Blevins, Financial Committee Chairman. This to be voted on at Saturday's session.

Gardner-Webb College report of Dr. Garland Hendricks discussed in his absence by Jerry Burleson.

Ralph Davis asked to discuss the method of voting and after general discussion by Ken Morris, David Blackburn, Gary Teague, John Goodman and Colonel Blevins a motion was made and then amended to read as follows: "That when we are voting on certain issues there be a secret ballot or sleeper ballot at the moderator's discretion with the approval of the body". This amended motion was seconded by David Blackburn. This to be voted on at Saturday Session.

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit" was sung as led by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

The Moderator asked Herbert Parunak to give the benediction.

Saturday's Session met with New River Baptist Church hosting at their church and was called to order by Moderator David Blackburn.

Everyone joined in singing "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Moderator Blackburn expressed appreciation to New River Church for hosting our meeting and asked host pastor, Rev. Jimmy Warden, to give the welcome and read the history of New River Baptist Church. He also led in prayer.

Moderator Blackburn read the rules of order.

Reports of Local Organizational Heads were presented.

Sunday School Report given by Rev. Ervel Jones who moved for the adoption of his report as printed in the program; seconded by Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

Church Training report made by Mrs. Gwen Elliott who moved for the adoption of her report; seconded by Joseph Eastridge, discussion by Bill Ballou who announced the date for a meeting to get Children's Bible Drill started in the churches. After additional discussion by Joseph Eastridge the motion was voted on and carried.

Brotherhood Report of Jimmy Lambert in his absence was moved for adoption by Bill Ballou; seconded by Gwen Elliott, voted on and carried.

The Church Music report has not yet been received and Bill Ballou made a motion that this report be incorporated when received; seconded by Clemmie Wilcox, voted on and carried.

The Budget presented at Friday's session was presented for consideration; voted on and approved.

Discussion by Ervil Jones who stated that he felt the Assist Team should consist of 7 members instead of 5.

Roll call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill with the following 35 churches having representatives present: Apple Grove, Bald Mountain, Big Flatts, Bristol, Buffalo, Calvary, Clifton, Fletcher Memorial, Friendly Grove, Friendship, Glendale Springs, Grassy Creek, Healing Springs, Landmark, Laurel Knob, Liberty Grove, Midway, Mission Home, Mount Olive, New River, North Beaver, Oak Hill, Obids, Old Fields, Orion, Phoenix, Pilot Mountain, Pine Swamp, Pleasant Home, Round Knob, South Beaver, Sturgills, Trinity, Tuckerdale, Wagoner, Welcome Home, and West Jefferson First.

Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden led in the singing of "When The Roll is Called Up Yonder".

Bill Ballou moved for adoption of Baptist Children's Home report of Joann Goodman; seconded by Joe Eastridge, voted on and carried.

Baptist Homes for Aging report by Rev. John Goodman who moved for its adoption; seconded by Harold Culbreth, voted on and carried.

"Biblical Recorder" report given by Mrs. Linda Eller who reported that only nine churches in the Ashe Baptist Association provide the "Biblical Recorder" for its members. Mrs. Eller moved for the adoption of her report; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Christian Literature report of Cathy Bower moved for adoption in her absence by Bill Ballou; seconded by Russell Phillips, discussion by Joseph Eastridge, voted on and carried.

Christian Education report given by Mr. Stewart Scott who moved for its adoption; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

American Bible Society report given by Rev. Gary Watson who made a motion for its adoption; seconded by Jerry South, voted on and carried.

Miscellaneous Business:

The motion concerning voting procedures presented at Friday's session was voted on and carried.

Christian Education was discussed and reported on by Miss Sue Fitzgerald of Mars Hill College. She reported that there are 450 new students enrolled at Mars Hill and asked that we pray for these young people to know God's will in their lives. Miss Fitzgerald also discussed the study materials available to our churches through the Center for Christian Education Ministries of Mars Hill College. A motion to adopt her report was made by Al Thacker; seconded by Ken Morris, and after discussion by Ken Morris, Jimmy Warden, and Jack Pugh, was voted on and carried.

Foreign Missions report given by Diane Ballou with a motion to adopt by Eddie Duncan; seconded by Billy Joe Blevins, voted on and carried.

Home Missions report of Lois Jones moved for adoption by Ervil Jones; seconded by Hank Saralegui, discussion by Bill Ballou and Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

State Mission Report of Wayne Jones moved for adoption by Bill Ballou; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Oak Hill Academy (having become a Baptist college last year) was reported on by Rev. Edd Patton. He informed those present that one-fourth of the student body come from the State of North Carolina and the student body is made up of 100 boys and 100 girls. He also stated that Oak Hill is 110 years old and still going strong. A motion to adopt this report made by Joseph Eastridge; seconded by Marvin Smith, voted on and carried.

Associational Missions report presented by Rev. Bill Ballou who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Johnny Goodman, discussion by Gary Watson, Jerry South, Joseph Eastridge and Clemmie Wilcox, voted on and carried.

VBS report by Bill Ballou who moved for its adoption; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Resolutions Committee report made by committee chairman Clayburn Roten who moved for its adoption; seconded by Joe Brown, discussion by Clayburn Roten, voted on and carried.

"Amazing Grace" was led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Moderator Blackburn asked Mr. George West, who was moderator for many years, to stand and be recognized.

Rev. Charles Edwards discussed the Cooperative Program and encouraged more support of our Association.

Morning message delivered by Rev. Billy Joe Blevins, Pastor of Bristol Baptist Church. Rev. Blevins read 1 Samuel 17 beginning with verst 26 and offered prayer. He spoke on how to face a battle with reference to Goliath who had defied God. Rev. Blevins stated, "There are battles facing us as ministers and battles facing you as church members.....There is a way you can be victorious in these battles. And how can we face the battles?" (1) Go in the name of Jesus. David had no fear - why? He was with Jesus. We need to know who we are walking with. (2) Must know the Powers to depend on. Must recognize the power of God and depend upon that. (3) Need to know how to go by faith.....We need to take a stand against the things going on in the world.....If there are battles today and you don't know how to face them, go to the right source and you will see the giant fall before your eyes."

Rev. Jimmy Warden, host pastor, gave directions to the tables for lunch. He also asked Rev. Kermit Goodman to pronounce the benediction and ask the blessing.

Afternoon session began with the singing of "I Will Meet You In the Morning" led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Afternoon session moderated by Marvin Osborne who expressed appreciation for the wonderful meal. Asked Rev. Johnny Blevins, Pastor of Friendship Baptist Church, to present devotion. He read from Numbers and stated "we should be looking to the future. Pray that we accept the challenge to see the vision God has for us". Rev. Blevins also led in prayer.

"Since Jesus Came Into My Heart" was led by Bill Ballou and Jimmy Warden.

Afternoon message by Rev. Dean Watson, Pastor of Healing Springs Baptist Church. He read Hebrew 11 beginning with verse 5 and led in prayer. Rev. Watson spoke on ways of pleasing God including repentance, faith, and obedience. He stated, "the life we live here will be the testimony we leave behind.....Want to encourage each Christian and each church member to live your life pleasing to God. To be a testimony for the Lord Jesus Christ".

Bill Ballou made a motion that we dispense with the reading of the minutes and let the prayer following the memorial service be the benediction; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

The Memorial Service was conducted by Rev. John Leek, pastor of Orion Baptist Church. Rev. Leek also closed with prayer.

A motion was made and seconded by Eddie Duncan that the minute book be dedicated to Rev. Frank Tucker, Rev. Hayes McClure, and Rev. Keene Roak, deceased pastors.

Report to the Association
BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA

You took the time, you cared. You gave much when you didn't have to. In behalf of Dr. Blackwell, the children in care, our staff and trustees, thank you for your prayers, your caring and financial support. You are special to this child care ministry.

A major thrust beyond our quality child care this year was the completion of our Long Range Plans. To continue being bold in child care, several challenges were accepted by our staff and trustees from the results of our five-year LRP. We plan to add two emergency care homes - another one on the Kennedy Home campus and one where the need is greatest. The Cameron Boys Camp will be expanded to care for 50 boys. Two specialized small group homes will be opened by early 1989 - a teenage mother-baby home and a behavior change program for teenage girls in Lenior.

Fifty percent of our children have had little or no spiritual training prior to their being in our care. We rejoice that 79 were baptized into the family of God. Our ministry is "Missions in Miniature."

To meet these challenges and continue the current ministry to children, our budget must move from seven million dollars (which it has been for five years) to 11 million dollars by 1992-93. We hope that by 1993, the Baptists of North Carolina will be giving fifty percent of our daily operating budget. Currently we receive 34 percent. This can be achieved by increasing church receipts through the Cooperative Program, the Homes & Hospital Offering and designated gifts from churches and individuals. The future of child care in North Carolina is in the hands of the Baptists of our great state. We believe they will meet the challenge.

UPDATE FROM THE HICKORY-LENOIR FAMILY SERVICES CENTER

This has been an exciting year. A partnership between the Caldwell Department of Social Services and the Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina is imminent. A gift from Mrs. Marguerite Noel of Kannapolis will facilitate the purchase of a house for the behavior

change program in Lenoir. A gift from the Broyhill Foundation will enable us to purchase a house for the teenage-mother-baby program also in Lenoir. The partnership calls for equal financial responsibility with the Baptist Children's Homes also providing the program and staff. The Hickory-Lenoir office will be moved to the Noel Home in Caldwell County.

Katrina Shields joined the Hickory-Lenior staff as a social worker in August providing much-needed assistance with the increasing number of applications for all BCH ministries.

Group meetings for parents of boys at Cameron Boys Home has proven helpful to staff, boys and parents.

We are a service institution ready to meet the needs of hurting children and their families, in partnership with you to serve the children of North Carolina

Michael C. Blackwell, President
Donna Lail, Director - Hickory-Lenior Family Services Area
Charles L. Tanner, Director Church/Community Relations

Local Representative
Mrs. Joann Goodman

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST COLLEGE REPORT - 1988
Council on Christian Higher Education
Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

WHAT IS A BAPTIST COLLEGE?

First, Baptist colleges are colleges, places where teaching and learning take place. During 1987-88 almost 18,000 students and more than 1300 faculty members worked at the task of making your Baptist colleges good colleges. A college cannot be a church any more than a church can be a college. Christian education of church and community leaders is the task your colleges gladly undertake.

Second, the word "Baptist" tells what kind of colleges they are. Baptists began them all, provide financial support for them, and send their young people to them for a good education in a Christian environment. These colleges are special places where lives are changes and where life commitments come into focus for students.

Third, Baptist colleges are partners with the churches in missions. Each year there are many Baptist groups which are hosted and cared for by the seven Baptist colleges. Some of these who met at one or more of our colleges during 1987-88 are these: January Bible Study preparation; summer ministries orientation for students working with

churches; youth ministry retreats; youth choir festivals and children's choir camps; pastors' schools; Christian studies for pastors and their families; senior adult rallies; Directors of Missions summer meeting; church weekday education workshops; Special Olympics for the mentally retarded; church incorporation seminars; WMU-sponsored Acteens meetings; RA track meets; Pioneer RA Congress; Baptist Young Men's Congress; Crusader RA Congress; Baptist Student days; construction of Mars Hill College chapel by N.C. Baptist Men volunteers; annual May meeting of the General Board and all committees; March meeting of the General Board's Executive Committee; and more.

The goal: CHURCH RELATED COLLEGES AND COLLEGE RELATED CHURCHES.

Respectfully submitted,
Stewart Scott
Local Representative

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ANNUITY BOARD REPORT

North Carolina's response to renewal efforts to upgrade contributions of those already members of the Annuity Board of the Southern Baptist Convention's retirement plans and to secure new participants continues to be exciting. Consider these facts:

- There have been 129 new members enrolled in the retirement plans during the period January 1-July 15.
- There are now 2319 North Carolina churches and associations contributing to retirement plans.
- North Carolina has 1803 signed Cooperative Agreements! More than any other state - including Texas.
- The number of churches participation at the old Plan A level of $33.34 has decreased from 439 to 166.

- The average annuitant in North Carolina receives $234 per month, up from $196.

- North Carolina has 3,664 members making contributions to Annuity Board retirement plans.

- There are 1,592 annuitants receiving benefits each month in North Carolina - $372,422.85 each month!

It is exciting to think about what has been done to help ministers retire with dignity. Strong efforts have been made to make all of our churches (and ministers) aware of the opportunities and the need to act on them.

But there is still so much to be done! Consider these facts:

- Only 64% of our churches are participating in our retirement plans - even after all these years of opportunity.

- Of this 64%, many do not actually make contributions. The minister does this on his own.

- Small contributions make the annuitant's benefits small: In North Carolina
  182 receive less than $50
  469 receive less than $100
  954 receive less than $200
  1216 receive less than $300

- We have 164 churches that have signed the Cooperative Agreement, but still make no contribution.

- We have 477 churches that are making contributions but still have not signed the Cooperative Agreement.

Suffice it is to say that there is a great challenge still before us to help ministers prepare for the future and to help churches be responsible employers.

Let's keep up the good work.

Jim Lambert
Administrative Associate for Minister Support
Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

EVANGELISM REPORT

At the close of each associational year we gather to review the work of all our Baptist agencies. Each one deserves our support prayerfully and financially. When I am made aware of the care our sick, elderly, and children receive, I am overwhelmed with praise to God and thanks to Him for those who serve.

During this time we count not only the blessings on our agencies, but we look back to examine our harvest of souls. Thank God for every minister in our association and his contribution to the cause of Christ in evangelism. Thank Him for every man, woman, boy and girl that prays, and witnesses to those yet lost.

The crusade was a tremendous blessing in our association this year. We praise the Lord for those commitments made and the rededications. In addition to our crusade response, our churches baptized 110 into their fellowship this year.

As we rejoice in what God has done, let us look forward to what He will do this year. Please remember we probably meet more lost than saved everyday of our lives. "Broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction and many there be which go in thereat: Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it". Matthew 7:13 and 14.

Respectfully submitted,

Jimmy Warden, Chairman

PASTOR'S SALARY AND RETIREMENT

Once again God has blessed churches in Ashe County in many ways during the past year. As we look once again at salary and retirement for our pastors, we realize that much has been accomplished, but much more is needed. On January 1, 1988, churches had the opportunity to enroll in the Expanded Annuity Program. The following churches have reportedly taken that step.

ASSOC. CODE	CHURCH OR ASSOCIATION NAME	EMP NUMBER	MEMBER NAME	MEMBER NUMBER
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ASHE	TUCKERDALE BAPTIST CHURCH	*320438	JL DAY	13297B500*
ASHE	WAGONER BAPTIST CHURCH	*320446	CD ROTEN	434219000*
ASHE	WARRENSVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH	*320440	JC BURLESON	070651000*

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ASSOCIATION TOTAL: 23

We praise God for the vision and step of faith on the part of our churches who have done this. Also, we would encourage others to do the same and to take note than the Stewardship Department of our convention has recently completed a report that shows salaries and benefits for churches of all sizes in North Carolina. It also contains a guide for churches to use in preparing salaries and benefits for pastors. I would encourage you to use this guide as you prepare for the future of your pastor and his work in your church and community. The report can be ordered from:

Stewardship Department
Baptist State Convention
P.O. Box 1107
Cary, N.C. 27512-1107

Ask for - "How You Can Help Your Minister As A Representative Employer" by: The Minister Compensation Study Committee.

Respectfully submitted,
John S. Leek

BAPTIST HOSPITAL REPORT - 1988

Again, as with last year's report, the most obvious condition of our Baptist Hospital is continued expansion of the physical plant. Along with Bowman Gray School of Medicine, the largest health related expansion program ever attempted in the state of North Carolina has been, and is still going on. A staggering $140 million project!

Of course, the only reason for the tremendous undertaking of such a monumental building expansion program is to provide expanded health services. In addition to the nationally well known health services, some exciting new programs have recently been initiated. (1) The Brenner Children's Hospital, (2) The Sticht Center on Aging, (3) A new hand center, (4) Ligament tranplants, (5) New treatments for some types of cancer, (6) New procedures for heart patients, (7) Air Care International!

Just a few highlights from our past year of service. (1) 22,085 admissions, (2) 196,554 patient care days, (3) 13,680 surgical procedures, (4) 1,022 open heart operations, (5) 32 kidney transplants, (6) 833 lithotripsy treatments, and (7) 480 Air Care Missions!

The Pastoral Care Department is providing services in addition to those in the past. Satellite centers for counseling are now located not only in Winston-Salem, but also in Fayetteville, Morganton, Charlotte, Rockingham and North Wilkesboro. "Pastors Sabbath" and "Inteam Church" programs are a much needed service which is now available in co-op with the State Convention.

Our budget for the past fiscal year has been $181 million. We employ over 3,800 personnel. The nursing shortage has been felt by us also. Measures are being taken to alleviate this problem and we would welcome qualified and deserving candidates.

Baptist Hospital received $659,062 through the Cooperative Program and $290,585 through the Homes and Hospital offering within the past fiscal year. We appreciate your financial and prayerful support.

A personal note - 659,062 and 290,585 total $949,647 or a little over ½ of 1% - North Carolina Baptists can and should support an institution which has given us so much over the years - much, much better than ½ of 1% of its total operational budget.

Respectfully submitted,

Jerry Burleson

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST HOSPITAL
Report to the Associations
1988

Perhaps the word which best sums up the past year at Baptist Hospital is expansion - expansion of facilities and services.

The hospital, together with the Bowman Gray School of Medicine, is still in the midst of the largest health related expansion program ever in North Carolina. The $140 million project has seen the completion of a four-story MRI building, the completion of a six-story addition to its research building, the completion of an addition to the power plant, completion of additional parking space, the near completion of a fifteen-story patient tower, and the beginning of a new clinical services building.

New programs in health care, initiated in recent months, include the Brenner Children's Hospital, the Sticht Center on Aging, a new hand center, ligament transplants, new methods of treating certain types of cancer, new procedures for helping patients with heart problems, and the beginning of Air Care International.

During the past fiscal year, the total hospital revenue budget has been $181 million. Total personnel is over 3,800. There was 22,085 patient admissions for a total of 196,554 patient care days. Some 13,680 surgical procedures were performed including 1,022 open heart operations and 32 kidney transplants. There were 282,907 radiological procedures, 4,401,552 clinical laboratory tests, 14,500 chemotherapy treatments, 833 lithotripsy treatments, and 480 Air Care missions.

The Department of Pastoral Care continues its ministries to: the patient in the hospital; the family and friends of patients; the medical staff who minister to the patient; the person requesting counseling in our centers in Winston-Salem, Fayetteville, Morganton, Charlotte, Rockingham, North Wilkesboro; the ministers who seek our courses in clinical instruction, equipping them for specialized and pastoral ministries.

Added to these are our "Pastors' Sabbath" and "Interim Church" programs....as we work closely with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in addressing the needs of pastors and churches.

The faithful delivery of pastoral care, beginning within our Medical Center and reaching around the world, is the ministry to which we make renewed commitment.

Like most hospitals throughout the nation, Baptist has been faced with a critical shortage of nurses and other health care personnel. A variety of programs are being implemented which are designed to attract and hold needed staff members. Among these are: a day care center for children of employees, wage and salary adjustments, weekend shift differential, weekend options program, case management concept, and a loan/scholarship program for students preparing for health care careers.

In January Dr. John Lynch, who had been president of the hospital for more than seventeen years, submitted his resignation. The trustees have appointed a Search Committee which is seeking his successor. Mr. Len B. Preslar, Jr., who for many years has been vice-president for Financial Management, has been named chief executive officer.

During the past fiscal year, Baptist Hospital received $659,062 through the Cooperative Program and $290,585 through the Homes and Hospital Offering. The trustees, staff and patients are all extremely grateful for this financial support.

ANNUITY BOARD REPORT TO ASSOCIATION

From the outset of the Annuity Board in 1918, there has always been the abiding awareness that our work is the work of the Lord. The main reason for the Board's ministry is exactly the same today as it was then - to serve those who serve the Lord.

Our ongoing commitment is to develop benefit programs which will give Southern Baptist ministers, missionaries and denominational workers security and protection in old age, illness and disablility.

On Jan. 1, 1988, the expanded features and benefits of the Church Annuity Plan went into effect. This is the most dramatic breakthrough in church retirement planning since the introduction of Plan A. Today's ministers and eligible church employees now have a new and flexible approach to retirement planning.

As of June 30, 1988, 14,952 churches had entered into Cooperative Agreements with their state Annuity Plan's expanded benefits. This is 72% of the 20,580 churches who were participating in the Church Annuity Plan. Ministers and eligible employees of these expanded participating churches may now benefit from matching church and state convention contributions as well as supplemental life and disability protection.

Plan A served Southern Baptist churches and their employees superbly. Introduced years before many pastors were covered by Social Security, Plan A produced far more than anyone ever dared dream. In 1988, 11,800 current retirees received a significant 25% benefit payments. More than 28,600 future retirees in Plan A will also receive a 25% benefit increase. But Plan A, a defined benefit plan, was not designed to cope with inflation.

The Church Annuity Plan was designed so that the member and the church can keep projected benefits in proper relation to inflation and growth in income.

At the end of the second quarter of 1988, 58,495 Southern Baptist ministers, church employees and denominational workers had active retirement accounts at the Annuity Board. There was 33,733 members in the Church Annuity Plan, 21,161 in the Convention Annuity Plan, and 3,601 in the Voluntary Annuity Plan and other plans.

Plan members and their employers contributed $71,388,245 during the first two quarters of 1988.

On June 30, 1988 18,332 retirees and other annuitants were receiving benefits from the Southern Baptist retirement plans. They received $33,666,186 in retirement benefits through the first half of 1988.

The Annuity Board continually seeks ways to respond to the needs of Southern Baptists. To this end, two new subsidiary corporation approved by the SBC Executive Committee allow us greater flexibility to develop retirement plans for Southern Baptist churches and agencies, such as hospitals and universities, whose needs are not met by existing plans.

Also action at the 1988 Southern Baptist Convention allows the Annuity Board to develop the organization to offer property and casualty coverages such as coverage for church-owned property, general liability, workers' compensation, bus liability, day-care liability and minister's malpractive insurance.

The Annuity Board remains acutely aware of the impact soaring health-care costs have on the 39,901 participants in the Church, Group and Seminarian medical plans. We are committed to finding creative solutions to the challenging problems these burdensome costs impose on Southern Baptist ministers, church staffs and denominational workers.

The Annuity Board continues to work through the Church Alliance to actively address problem areas caused by the Tax Reform Act of 1986. The Refore Act significantly impacts churches, ministers, denominational employees and affiliated organizations carrying out Baptist ministries. Certain new provisions of the law unfairly limit the retirement and welfare benefits of ministers and other denominational employees.

The Annuity Board managed total assets of $2,273,652,056 on June 30, 1988. The magnitude of this statistic can be overwhelming. But each dollar represents retirement income or insurance protection for a Christian servant in a Southern Baptist church or agency.

When the 21st century arrives, the Annuity Board will be ready, as we have been since 1918, to protect those who serve associations and churches through the benefit programs we administer. Our ministry ever remains Serving Those Who Serve The Lord.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

CHURCHES REPORTING SCHOOLS:

Bald Mountain	New River
Bethel	North Beaver
Big Flatts	Old Fields
Bristol	Orion
Fletcher Memorial	Phoenix
Friendly Grove	Pine Swamp
Friendship	Pleasant Home
Grassy Creek	Round Knob
Healing Springs	Trinity
Laurel Knob	Wagoner
Little Helton	Warrensville
Midway	Welcome Home
Mission Home	West Jefferson First

Number of Schools Reported	26
Final Enrollment for Churches Reporting	1800
Average Attendance for 26 Churches	1537
Preschoolers Enrolled (Birth - 5 years)	252
Children Enrolled (6-11 Years)	545
Youth Enrolled (12-17 Years)	305
Adults Enrolled	500
Professions of Faith	44
Pupils not in any Sunday School	126
Parents not in any Sunday School	143
Cost of Curriculum Materials	$4,625.00
All other VBS Expenses	$2,485.00
VBS Offering through Coop-Program	$2,439.00

Respectfully Submitted,

Bill Ballou,
Assn. VBS Director

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

It's said, "What Goes Up Must Come Down." This may be true to the point that, it won't come down if it's not up.

A church's Sunday School cannot go up until the church realizes that their Sunday School is down.

The vital growth of any church is found in a good Sunday School.

There is a module titled, "Evangelism through Sunday School." I would be glad to teach this to the teachers of any of our churches.

If there is going to be growth, there must be training and sacrifice. Sometimes, NEW METHODS WORK! Use your Associational Sunday School Team.

Thank You,

Ervel Jones

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

The Christian Action League is a voluntary organization composed of Christians and concerned citizens brought together to oppose those destructive influences in society which contribute to the low level of public morality existing today. The League is dedicated to strenghtening laws against gambling, alcohol, drugs and commercialized vice in its many forms while emphasizing the basic importance of spiritual and moral values to the development and growth of the individual, the local community and the nation as a whole.

Beverage alcohol is today the chief cause of poverty, broken homes, juvenile delinquency, vice, crime, child abuse, and highway accidents. Statistics indicate that 400,000 deaths yearly are directly related to the consumption of alcohol. Alcohol is now the drug of choice among teenagers and its abuse in that group is reaching epidemic proportions. The leading cause of death among adolescents is alcohol related accidents. Alcohol related injuries are exacting a heavy financial burden on the American taxpayers while the cost in human terms is incalcuable. For these reasons, the League strongly opposes all efforts to legalize the sale of alcoholic beverages in Ashe County.

The Christian Action League of Ashe County in association with The Christian Action League of North Carolina urges individuals and churches in our county to inform public officials of our proposition to the sale of beverage alcohol and liquors in North Carolina and to voice our concern with efforts to legalize pari-mutual gambling in our state. Additional goals and objectives for 1988-89 include the following:

1. Inclusion of warning labels on all alcoholic beverages,
2. Elimination of alcoholic advertisements in the media,
3. Prohibit the sale of beer and wine in Ashe County,
4. Strengthening DUI laws,
5. And to support legislation prohibiting employment of minors in establishments serving alcohol.

To attain these goals, we need the active cooperation of all those individuals who wish to promote Christian values and morals in our community.

We invite all like-minded citizens to join us in furthering the course of civic and social righteousness and promoting the highest standards of Christian morality in the lives of our people.

Respectfully submitted,
Delmas Parker

BAPTIST FOUNDATION
Report to the Associations 1988

For several years, Montagress Mercer has provided an example of estate stewardship which members of the Foundation staff have often related, but always without revealing her identity. It was her wish that "nobody know." Mrs. Mercer died this spring. We can now share her name as well as her testimony. It was her wish that "Lottie" should have her farm. To accomplish that, the farm was deeded to the Foundation but she retained all benefit from it for as long as she lived. As the plan for doing this was explained to her and the possibilities unfolded, she clasped her hands together and exclaimed, "I'm so happy!" Now her happiness has been justified. That which she desired is now a reality: the income from her trust will be paid forever to the Lottie Moon Offering. It is incidents like this which tell the story of Baptist Foundation. Fact, figures and statistics have their place, but the people behind them are the real story.

Another unique expertise provided by the Foundation is in helping to analyze a person's total estate picture and assisting them in their complete plan of estate stewardship. Sometimes, a person only wishes to make a modest gift in trust for one specific cause and then is content. Often, however, the person realizes that both his family and Baptist causes he loves can derive a greater benefit from his estate, if his plan includes all of it. It may require more than one type of trust and nearly always a Will that capitalizes on the best possible planning.

One couple, utilizing the Foundation's expertise for total estate planning, rather than making piece-meal plans and small bequests here and there, took full advantage of the tax laws available for them and provided fully for their son and the Baptist causes which they desired to support. Their satisfaction now come from a coordinated estate plan. It is in total estate stewardship planning, not in "getting a gift", that the Foundation renders the greatest service.

The "unfunded" trust simplified planning for many persons in the past year and continues to provide a way to help meet the objectives of many stewards. The truse document is prepared to incorporate the provisions of the trustor's wishes. It will not take effect, however, until the individual is deceased. Then their Will provided the funding, most often the residual estate being assigned to the trust, hence the term "unfunded". The individual has the joy of having a plan in place, all signed and legal.

Marjorie has updated her Will this year and created an "unfunded" trust. At her death, her entire estate will fund her trust. For a definite period of time thereafter, her family will receive income from the trust. At the end of those years, the income will support Baptist work forever. As she was discussing this with the staff, a new option became available to her. Her church established a Foundation trust whose income, when it is received by the church, will support local missions, the Lottie Moon offering, a church scholarship fund, and assist with capital improvement and maintenance of its historic building. Marjorie named the church trust fund as the beneficiary of her unfunded trust. To her, happiness is having an accountable plan in place for the accountable steward.

The Baptist Foundation added 62 new trust funds to its numbers in 1987. Gifts to trust increased its holdings to a record $14,452,258. Trusts already in place provided $578,697 in support of Baptist causes. As important as these statistics are, a significant aspect of The Baptist Foundation program is that it provides individuals, such as Mrs. Mercer, with an avenue for continuing their support of Christian causes beyond their lifetime.

Robert Howard
President and Chairman

Edwin S. Coates
Executive Director

REPORT OF THE BAPTIST CAMP COMMITTEE

It has been another good year for our camp. It is being used more and more by our churches, some of them returning two or three times during the Summer season. As you know the building is winterized thus making it usable year-round.

We are very thankful for the financial support our churches have given this past year. Local churches gave a total of $5,626.35 and $1,024.00 came in the form of individual gifts, memorials, sister churches and associations.

Each year, three members rotate off the committee and three new members come on. We would like to say a hearty "WELL DONE" to the following members who rotate off this year: Mrs. Linda Craven, Rev. Jimmy Rash, and Mr. Earl McNeill. Nominated for a three-year term are: Miss Willa Dean Church, Rev. Ray Ham, and Miss Kimberly Caporalie. Speak a word of appreciation to those leaving the committee.

This past year has seen some much needed improvements take place at the camp. Six ceiling fans were installed in the assembly room and one in the kitchen. The cost of the fans and their installation amounted to almost $600.00 which was given by Mr. Norman Cheek of the Old Fields Church. Several tons of lime was sown on the ball field. Recently, several loads of mulch was hauled in and placed on the banks around the shrubbery.

Future plans include painting the building, hopefully before Winter and finishing the ceilings in the shower rooms. Thank you for your support and your prayers.

Respectfully submitted,
Earl McNeill

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES

I. MISSION

The Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina, Inc., began operation in 1951 with a charge to provide a Home for "Aged Saints" in the spirit of Christian care. The mission of the Homes continues to be that of providing quality residential opportunities for Older Adults within a Christian context.

The foundation of the ministry is based in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, for in the Gospel is a message of healing and wholeness. The Homes believes this message offers Older Adults the meaning, purpose, and dignity needed to enrich their lives.

The hallmark of the Homes' ministry is the quality of its care. It is a distinction that is present at all levels, in all locations, in all services. The Homes takes seriously its responsibility to make its residential opportunities available to Older Adults across the State and to be continually responsive to the needs of Older Adults as those needs expand and change.

With that in mind, the Homes operates facilities in locations across the State: Asheville in the West, Hamilton in the East, Yanceyville in the North, and Albemarle in the Southern Piedmont. A multi-level care facility in Winston-Salem currently services the needs of Older Adults from all over the State.

Older Adults have differing needs, and the level of care for any single individual necessarily changes as time passes. It is for this reason that the Homes offers independent living in an apartment setting, personal care for those who require some assistance with daily living, and two levels of nursing care.

II. NEED

According to a January, 1987 Report of the Office of State Budget of the State of North Carolina, the number of North Carolina citizens age 65 and over will increase by 203,935 (28.9%) by 1995 and 286,831 (40.6%) by the year 2000.

Statistics for the North Carolina Baptist Older Adult Population are even more dramatic. The percentage of increase for the 80-plus age group in Baptist Life (those individuals most likely to need residential care) is predicted to be more than 50% by the year 2000. Attempting to address this great challenge, the Baptist Retirement Homes has launched a bold new program of development and ministry that includes the following:

1. THE DEVELOPMENT OF REGIONAL CONTINUING CARE RETIREMENT COMMUNITIES.

A five-level continuing care retirement community (Brookridge) is now under construction in Winston-Salem. Land for that same purpose has been purchased in South Charlotte. Planning for the development of similar communities has begun in Asheville and in Eastern North Carolina.

2. THE DEVELOPMENT OF A HOME HEALTH CARE MINISTRY.

In 1988, the Homes received a grant from the Mary Reynolds Babcock Foundation to study the feasibility of establishing a volunteer-based Home Health Care program that will enable frail Older Adults to continue to live independently in their homes with some assistance.

The Homes believes that the ability to remain in one's own home as long as possible can benefit Older Adults by enhancing both their quality of life and their life-span. Fixed incomes and meager resources mean that Older Adults are also benefited as they seek to use their funds prudently: there will be no charge for the Home Health Care services. The Homes also believes there is an enormous segment of the Older Adult population that is not yet in need of residential care but does need the kind of "light nursing" that this concept of Home Health Care provides.

3. THE DEVELOPMENT OF FINANCIAL SUBSIDIES FOR RETIRED MINISTERS AND MINISTER'S SPOUSES AND OTHER OLDER ADULTS WITH LIMITED FINANCIAL RESOURCES FOR RETIREMENT LIVING.

The fastest growing segment of North Carolina Baptist life is the Older Adult population. The needs for residential living opportunities on all levels (from independent living to nursing care) grow as the population does. A large number of Baptist Older Adults requiring services within a residential environment cannot afford the cost of that care.

Particularly does this seem to be true for a large number of retired pastors and their spouses. Because so many ministers have lived in church-owned parsonages or have been given housing allowances, thereby never developing home equity, it is extremely difficult for retiring pastors to underwrite the cost of retirement living or residential care in their later years. The Homes feels a particular commitment to these individuals and has responded as much as the parameter of its Benevolent Care Program will allow. New sources of funding must be found if this great need is to be met.

As we move into 1989, opportunities for creative ministry with Older Adults abound. With the support of North Carolina Baptists, the Baptist Retirement Homes will endeavor to turn those opportunities into the kind of reality that will meaningfully service the needs of the Older Adults of our State.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. John Goodman

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The regular meetings of the Executive Committee are held on the first Thursday of each quarter, with the possibility of called meetings - with proper motive, when deemed necessary by the Director of Missions and the moderator. God has blessed us in 1987-88 to be able to meet at each scheduled time and to conduct the business, as we believe, under the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

The Executive Committee requests your continued prayers and support. We also ask that you encourage your pastor and elected committee members to attend each meeting so that each church will have a part in the business and discussions of associational matters.

The committee wishes to thank Rev. Bill Ballou for his work and leadership. Thanks also to the churches who hosted the meetings and to all the people for your support and Christian work.

Respectfully submitted,
Marvin E. Osborne
Moderator

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not depart from it. - Proverbs 22:6.

I feel that we in church training receive a commission from this verse. The need is just as great or even greater for church training today. The apostles of Jesus saw the need to train the new Christians that God was adding to the Jerusalem church. The apostles developed a design which led the new converts through the teachings of Jesus. As God adds to your church those who are being saved, and those who have been saved the church training program can provide resources for you. There is something for all age groups through church training. Whether you are pre-school, children, youth or adult. This organization began as Baptist young people union - and not wanting to leave us adults out, it was changed to Training Union, and presently Church Training. Whatever the title, we still have a common goal, which is to teach and train to better perform our jobs as church officers, teachers, deacons and church members. Trained in effective witnessing, church planning, and church growth. Our goal is to enroll 20% more in church training by 1990. Will you join us in making this a reality? If your church doesn't have a church training program, will you prayerfully consider it? It has meant much to our church (Mission Home) for the sixty some years we have had it.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Gwen Elliott

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

As we sit in our livingrooms and see the world around us by means of TV and see the things that make us wonder just how much longer can God let these things go on. We should ask ourselves what we as Christians are doing to stop these things that are going on in our world.

We still see a decline in the morals of our people, yes, even Christians. Alcohol is still the biggest drug in the U.S. and seems to be a growing problem. Pornography is still one of the worst things that has hit the country in a long long time. The phone lines are filled with this garbage and our young people are really hooked on this. Thanks to our State Legislature there are laws being enforced now that has helped with a lot of this filth.

The LOTTO OR THE LOTTERY: This is one of the biggest things that will come before the people of North Carolina in the near future and it will take every Christian in our state to defeat this vice. Remember, God did not promise you Pie In The Sky. As we work together to help someone overcome some of their weakness, don't forget to share what Christ has done for you.

Respectfully submitted,
Jimmy Lambert

BROTHERHOOD

The arena for training, development, and encouragement is the local church and the association. These are the two most basic and important organizations in Southern Baptist life. Without the church and the association, there would be no Cooperative Program or Bold Mission Thrust.

Therefore, our emphasis in associational Brotherhood is to strengthen churches so that they in turn can become the sending agency of their most powerful resource-men and boys. Only then can we accomplish our goal of sharing Christ with every person on earth by A.D. 2000.

The associational Brotherhood exists to help Churches inform, motivate, and involve men and boys in praying, studying, enlisting giving, ministering, and bearing witness of Christ to their community and the world. This means the object of associational Brotherhood work is the local church. We are here to help you and your church in preparing to go out and tell others of what Christ has done for us.

Respectfully submitted,
Jimmy Lambert

PREACHER'S CONFERENCE

As you may have already realized, our name has been changed from Pastor's Conference to "Preacher's Conference." This was done in an effort to encourage all ministers in the association to attend, whether they be pastors or not.

A wonderful spirit has and is prevailing at these meetings. Each month one of the active preachers delivers a message from God's Word and all have oppportunity to share their prayer request and give their testimony.

There have been many inspiring reports of what God has done. Would you be a part of these blessings from God?

Yours, In Christ,

Billy Joe Blevins, Moderator
Ashe Baptist Preacher's Conf.

WMU CENTENNIAL REPORT

Woman's Missonary Union is one-hundred years old. So why not celebrate? We have celebrated in our churches, associations, and states.

On May 14, 1888, Woman's Missionary Union was founded in Richmond, Virginia. On May 14, 1988, there were about 12,000 people in Richmond to celebrate the 100th. Birthday. All 50 states and 24 nations were represented.

166 new missionaries were commissioned on Saturday night, the largest group ever in Southern Baptist history.

Woman's Missionary Union is like a mighty river. It may appear to stand still but WMU RUNS DEEP. Now we have a future to fulfill. Let us be "Labourers together with God."

Clemmie Wilcox
Centennial Chairman

WMU REPORT

I am proud to be a member of the Woman's Missionary Union, and its associational director, during this 100th year. I wish everyone of you could have been in Richmond, Virginia for the Centennial Celebration in May, which had everything: vibrancy, enthusiasm, excitement, fun, inspiration, and challenges. The meeting reflected not only what WMU does and has done, but what it is, for I believe WMU has all of those qualities.

It was an unforgettable experience and an event long to be cherished by those of us privileged to attend, to see and hear most Southern Baptist leaders, to remember our roots, to celebrate our accomplishments, to rejoice in being with sisters of 47 states and 24 foreign countries.

But it is now over. That chapter of the first 100 years is closed. We must resolutely look toward to the future, and put our roots down even deeper into the soil of God's love and extend our branches and limbs even further to the uttermost part of this needy world.

There are some things we all must do as we move into the Second Century. We must be better informed. Our WMU leaders should and will be the most knowledgeable people in the church when it comes to missions.

We must and will be better supporters of missions through our prayers and our giving. I am not sure we are keeping pace with our foremothers, who seems to have been more serious about missions praying, and knew far better than most of us the meaning of sacrificial giving. Our world will never be won on paltry financial and prayer offerings.

We must be personally involved in giving our witness for Christ. We should each have a personal ministry to people, and the personal ministry must lead to a personal witness. We should also witness naturally through our daily activities during leisure time activities, work, school, etc.

As one looks back over the last 100 years, it is amazing what the women did and the contributions WMU made to Southern Baptist life, to individual churches, and to missions. There is still work to be done, and WMU will want to continue to be on the cutting edge, contributing perhaps as we never dreamed possible in ways yet to be discovered.

If we continue to be the vital force for missions it will be done by individuals, one woman at a time, working where each individual lade has been called, accepting new responsibilities, utilizing the gifts, being faithful to missions commitment and our Lord. The next 100 years of WMU are dependent on the Ashe Baptist Associational WMU and its Churches and Members.

Now, on the serious side: North Carolina has deceased in membership in WMU, and that means fewer people taking seriously the responsibility of praying daily for missions, fewer being well informed about and keeping up with what is happening in missions, fewer children and young people being reached with missions and challenged at the point of possible missions careers and having their lives rooted and grounded in a love for God's work, and fewer people making support of missions through financial gifts a high priority. We must work and pray even harder for God's glory for this to be increased through our State, Association, Churches, and Members.

With gratitude for our heritage, our Ashe Baptist WMU begins CENTURY 2, realizing that we face a new day, which demands commitment, imagination, risk, and relevance in responding to the world's physical, emotional, and spiritual needs. There is hope, and there is a future. We move into that future with this confidence: "Because of the Lord's great love we are not consumed, for his compassions never fail."

Respectfully Submitted,

Mrs. Ruth Calhoun
Assn. WMU Director

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT

Most of us have watched the Laurel-and-Hardy TV commercial for windshield wipers. Stan Laurel is driving through a rainstorm, blinded by the water and mud being thrown upon his windshield. The automobile is weaving a very erratic course as it travels along the road. The occupants are quite unsure of where they are going, causing much confusion in the car. Some ineffective, almost random measures are taken to improve the vision before Oliver Hardy suddenly decided to install windshield wipers. Vision is cleared and the car resumes a straight, safe course. Harmony inside the vehicle is restored (at least temporarily).

We chuckle at the illogic of Laurel and Hardy. But in reality, this scene is often repeated in the lives of untrained ministers. They frequently approach complex tasks without the training needed for the clear view which is provided by well defined goals and careful planning. The results of this "poor vision" are usually a failed ministry and confusion within the church.

What is obvious is the need for these ministers to be equipped with the "windshield wipers" of training and education. That is where Seminary Extension comes in. The Seminary Extension diplomas and certificates are designed to equip the minister and layperson to do more effective ministry.

During the 1987-88 church year, the Ashe Baptist Seminary Extension Center offered one course in Parlimentary Law. This course was ably taught by Charles L. King of the Friendly Grove Church. Twenty-four students enrolled in this enlightening course.

For those unable to enroll in the centers of Seminary Extension the Seminary Extension Independent Study Institute is available where both basic and college level courses are provided. Those interested may write Seminary Extension, 901 Commerce, Suite 500, Nashville, Tennessee 37203-3697 for details.

Respectfully submitted,
Jack Pugh

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE

Southern Baptists should be proud and thankful for the Christian Literature which is available to us. If used, it will keep us informed as to the issues in our denomination and society.

Here in North Carolina the Biblical Recorder keeps us informed concerning church life in North Carolina as well as on the Southern Baptist Convention level.

I believe Southern Baptists have the best program of Christian Literature to be found in any other religious group in the world, however, we need to read it and use it to become informed as to what is taking place in our denomination.

The two most well known publications next to the Bible are Sunday School and Vacation Bible School materials. We have many other materials to assist in all areas of church work. Read and increase your knowledge and your abilities.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Cathy Bower

SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS

With 17 programs of work assigned to the Sunday School Board by the Southern Baptist Convention, it would be easy to see the heart of the church programs and publishing board's work as programs. However, President Lloyd Elder told messengers to the 131st meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in San Antonio, Texas, that people must always be the focus of all the Board does through its programs.

"Sunday School and Church Training curriculum must be planned, written and edited with a biblical base to help change the lives of people," said Elder. "Scriptures must be made available at the lowest possible cost for our Southern Baptist people to share with others who need to hear and respond to the Gospel message. And we must make it easy as possible for people to obtain literature and other products."

Effective March 1, 1988, Southern Baptists can order virtually any product the Board produces or sells by calling 1-800-458-BSSB. The advantages of this process are toll-free ordering and reduced response time to the customer. Also, churches may order literature via computer with the EASY Church Order System. Churches using this system either with their own computer or those in Baptist Book Stores may receive a five percent discount on their church literature orders.

To illustrate the scope of the work of the Sunday School Board, a total of 208,514 telephone and mail orders and inquiries were received during the first six months of 1987-88.

A major new product to meet the needs of people is the Disciple's Study Bible released in June 1988 by the Holman Division in cooperation with the Church Training Department. Study helps focus on 27 great doctrines of Southern Baptists.

Also, for the second consecutive year, the Board provided free to messengers attending the Southern Baptist Convention copies of New Testaments to use in witnessing to people they encountered in San Antonio.

Increasing the evangelistic focus of Southern Baptist Sunday Schools is a continuing focus of the Board's Sunday School Division. By October 1988, the plan of salvation will be included each quarter in all Sunday School lession periodicals, Sunday School leadership and devotional magazines and Vacation Bible School materials.

Work has begun through the Church Music Department on production of a new Southern Baptist hymnal to be released in 1991.

A reorganization of the Church Administration Department was completed to give increased leadership and support for church growth.

Approximately 6,500 Southern Baptist single adults attended a national convention Memorial Day weekend in Nashville sponsored by the Family Ministry Department.

FOREIGN MISSION REPORT

Established by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1845, the Foreign Missions Board is the overseas missions channel for Southern Baptist churches and directs the work of more than 3,800 missionaries assigned to 113 countries. The churches support this ministry through the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

1987 Southern Baptist Foreign Missions at a Glance.....

BAPTISMS.....One baptism per 10.5 members for a record 203,824 baptisms in Southern Baptist-related churches overseas

CHURCHES.....Close to 3 churches started per day - 1070 for the year -for a total of 17,769

MISSIONARIES.....3,839 Southern Baptist missionaries working in some 112 countries

VOLUNTEERS.....7,618 volunteers going overseas to reinforce foreign mission work

THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION..... 26,072 students in theological training - from seminaries to extension programs

MEETING HUMAN NEEDS.....Almost $8 million sent to 44 countries for hunger relief and diasaster response

WORKING TOGETHER.....32 mission countries supporting some 179 foreign missionaries and close to 750 home missionaries of their own

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE FIELD...

PHILIPPINES....More than 10,000 baptisms for the 7th consecutive year

UGANDA.....The government's praise and appreciation for a missionary physician's research in AIDS and preparation of a booklet with medical, moral, and ethical teachings.

FRANCE....Two weekly home Bible studies building a base for a church in Nancy

CANADA....Dedication of Canadian Southern Baptists Seminary, Cochrane (near Calgary), at the 3rd annual meeting of the Canadian Convention of Southern Baptists, November 3-5

BRAZIL....Baptists sending a couple to Macao, thus adding another field to the countries in Europe. Africa and South America where their 120 foreign missionaries serve

LEBANON...Departure of the last Southern Baptist missionaries on March 6, only in obedience to the U.S. government order that all U.S. citizens leave

ARGENTINA....Enrollment at the International Baptist Theological Seminary in Buenos Aires setting records and an increasing number of students being called to foreign missions

PARAGUAY....A cooperative evangelistic project begun between five Paraguayan and five Brazilian churches

'MAN DREW THE BOUNDARIES. BUT GOD CAN ERASE THEM, - AND HE WANTS TO. THAT'S WHY HIS SON TAUGHT US TO PRAY: "THY KINGDOM COME. THY WILL BE DONE IN EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN."'

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Dianne Ballou

AREA MISSIONS

It is my joy to work with Ashe Baptist Association and the churches of Western North Carolina. The 1244 churches that make up this area are as varied as Baptists are in any part of the world. I am convinced that some of the finest people in all the world live in these hills.

In my job description a point is made of "representing all the work of North Carolina Baptists in this area." It also includes "representing the needs of the churches to the Baptist State Convention." It is in the dual nature of these goals that I want to help you.

I am here to work along side your Director of Missions and pastor in accomplishing the task God has called us to do. My great desire is that all of us may "be all that we can be." To the thousands of people in our area of North Carolina we need to make the church of our Lord all that it can be to them.

I appreciate the opportunities you have given me this past year. I am ready to respond to your calls in the future. The phone number is 704-724-9476.

God Bless you!

Tom Lolley
Area Missionary, Western North Carolina
Baptist State Convention of N.C.

ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION YOUTH COUNCIL

The Youth Council has sponsored three events during the associational year, i.e., Kids' Day in July, a Youth Rally in October, and Youth Night in March. The Youth Council received $653.00 ($453.00 from the churches and $200.00 from the Association) and spent $659.26 for these three events.

The Youth Council appreciates the support of the churches and the association and a strong youth program will depend on your continued support and participation.

The goals of the Youth Council are to provide fun and fellowship for the youth of our Association, and most importantly to share the Gospel with young people who face our complex and difficult world without Jesus Christ as Savior.

Respectfully submitted,
Jim Rash, Chairman

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS' ANNUAL REPORT
July 1, 1987 through June 30, 1988

As I sat down a moment ago to type this report, it suddenly dawned on me that this is my twentieth report to my fellow Christians of the Ashe Baptist Association. The years slip away and suddenly you feel old. But we are all getting older, aren't we.

These twenty years that I have served as your Director of Missions have passed by so quickly. God's richest blessings have certainly attended every effort we have put forth to establish and strengthen the work of the Assocation. He has drawn our churches closer together in the cooperative work He has for the Association to do. The spirit of togetherness and cooperation on the part of our churches is a living demonstration of what Southern Baptists are all about as they seek to serve the Saviour.

To better equip myself to serve our churches I have tried to take advantage of as many training conferences offered to Director of Missions as I possibly could attend. The opportunity to extend my ministry beyond the bounds of our association has come in the form of World Mission Conferences across the State, Stewardship Emphases, and Speaking Engagements in several association. For these opportunities we are most thankful. Following is a partial listing of some of the activities that I have involved myself in during the past associational year. Some activities cannot be reported statistically.

Prepared Associational News Column (For 2 Newpapers) 52 Weeks
Conducted Associational News Program (W.K.S.K. Radio) 52 Weeks
Prepared and mailed 12,000 Associational Newsletters
Produced 250 copies of Book of Reports
Prepared materials for printing of Associational Annual (Minutes)

ATTENDED FOLLOWING CONFERENCES/
CONVENTIONS/MEETINGS:

Local Pastor's Conference
Executive Committee Meetings
Camp Committee Meetings
State VBS Clinic, Hickory
Assn. VBS Clinic
State Key Leadership Conference, Ridgecrest
Assn. Key Leadership Conference
Baptist State Convention, Greensboro
State Evangelism Conference, Greensboro
Regional Evangelism Conference, Boone
January Bible Study-State Clinic, Mars Hill College
Director of Missions/Staff Meeting, Caraway
Director of Missions Summer Conference, Wingate College
Planned and Carried Out World Mission Conference (Local)
Attended WMU Centennial, Richmond, Virginia
Assisted in 3 Deacon Ordinations - 1 Pastorial
Assisted in 49 Funerals
Performed 4 Wedding Ceremonies
Assisted in 6 Revivals
Spoke to Senior Citizens 3 times
Spoke to AARP - 2 times
Assisted in 3 Bible Schools
Taught Baptist Doctrine - 2 churches
Attended Southern Baptist Conv., San Antonio, Texas
Attended Region 7 Dir. of Missions Fellowship (4)
Enlisted pastor to visit Foreign Mission Board (Richmond)
Attended "M" Night
Attended Minister & Wife Fellowship Dinners (4)
Attended 19 Convention Planning Meetings
Speaking Engagements In Churches - 47
Miles Driven - 22,461

Please call on me and the associational office whenever you feel we can be of help.

Respectfully submitted,
Bill Ballou, DOM

American Bible Society
1865 Broadway
New York, NY 10023

REPORT OF THE AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY TO THE SOUTHERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONS 1987

The longstanding and fruitful partnership between the Southern Baptist Convention and the American Bible Society continued to open new ways to the Word of millions of people across the globe in 1987.

Your support has been of key importance in the success of the many projects undertaken in 1987 in the ongoing task of meeting the Scripture needs of the world --whether through expanded distribution in areas where the availability of God's Work is critically low, or through innovative channels of Scripture production, or through new translations of the Scriptures.

Scripture distribution: As part of the global network of the United Bible Societies, the American Bible Society has been involved in the distribution of the Scriptures in at least 665 different languages throughout the world. The total number of Scriptures distributed worldwide during 1987 was 624,053,932 copies. This represents an increase of 4.0 percent over 1986, and continues the upward trend of the past few years. Of this total, 116,155,119 copies were distributed in the United States, an increase of 15.6 percent over last year's total.

Scripture production: One of the major highlights of 1987 was the completion of the Amity Printing Press in Nanjing, the People's Republic of China. The first 20,000 copies of an initial order for 100,000 Chinese Bibles were off the press by November, with the balance to be completed by January. A cermony marking the official opening of the plant was held on December 5. This is an answer to prayers of many years that a way would be found to share resources with Christians in China so they could meet their Scripture needs.

Scripture translation: In 1987, complete Bibles were published for the first time in the Ayacucho Quechua language of Peru, the language of Tuvalu, an island nation in the South Pacific, and in Karo Batak, one of the several dialects spoken on the Indonesian island of Sumatra.

There were also many first-ever publications of Testaments and individual Biblical books. Ongoing Scripture translation projects are proceeding in an additional 573 languages.

NEW DIRECTIONS, NEW DEMANDS

Behind the sucessful completion of each Scripture translation and distribution project is the story of people reached with the Word of God. As new populations are reached, new demands are placed on the resources are completely overtaxed. The Society's unswerving goal is to meet all the Scripture needs that are presented to it. But we cannot do that alone. That is why we must turn for help to our partners in mission, among whom the Southern Baptist Covention ranks above every other denomination in terms of the financial assistance it renders to the Society. In 1987, the churches of the Southern Baptist Convention contributed $255,073 to the American Bible Society in support of the worldwide Bible cause.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Gary Watson

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER
Associational Report - 1988

There is an old saying, "When Baptists know, Baptists will do." There is also an old saying, "Tell the truth and trust the people." The Biblical Recorder believes and tries to practice both!

In a rapidly changing world, it is more important than ever before that Baptists be well informed which is not easy in an age that is complex, busy and competitive. But we must never forsake the ideal.

Baptists, like the population in general, are watching more television and listening to more radio than they are reading. Somehow it just seems easier to watch and listen than to read and think, but we must be informed and involved in the work of the Lord as Baptists do it.....if we are to make progress.

For 155 years, the Baptist paper in North Carolina has issued a call to greater missions and greater commitment to the Commission of our Lord to win, teach and baptize persons.

As the Recorder informs it also gives opportunity for Baptists to freely exchange points of view. Baptists do not have a hierarchial form of church government and operation. Every person is important and opinions are valid in direct proportion to the accuracy of information upon which they are based. Democracies do not survive without an informed people!

With all the upheavel in the world, the nation, and even in Baptist ranks, stability can be maintained only when good and sincere people know the 'truth' and take their stand upon it.

To make it possible for as many people to read the paper each week at the lowest possible cost, there will be no increase in subscription rates for 1988. If your church does not have the Every Family Plan, please consider it for 1989; the introductory offers are available.

Out of the 49 churches in Ashe Association, only 9 are currently enrolled in a plan to receive the Biblical Recorder for their members.

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER
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God has given us a great opportunity and a great responsibility. Let us be informed about what is happening. Let us be involved in meeting the challenge, in being a part of the answer to take the Gospel to a lost world.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Linda Eller
Associational Representative

HOME MISSION BOARD REPORT

According to the HMB's Research Division, today there are more than 167 million lost Americans who do not have a personal, saving relationship with our Lord Jesus Christ. Every year, the number of lost people in America increases by about two million. That is like adding to American every year a city the size of Atlanta, entirely populated by lost people.

One thing has not changed, however I'm convinced the most overwhelming need in Southern Baptists' efforts to carry out the Great Commission is for church starters like Allen Baldwin. They are modern day apostles who feel called by God to start new churches.

I believe God's plan for winning American and the world is to sow the fields with Bible-believing, soul-winning, ministering churches. The church is the body of Christ in the world today, striving to do what Christ would do if He were here on earth. I am deeply committed to the local church. The HMB exists to help Baptist churches do together what no single church could do alone. We work in partnership with churches, associations, state conventions and other SBC agencies to jointly accomplish what God called us all to do.

This past year has been one of the most exciting and challenging of my life. It has been a year of constant change, for me personally, and for the whole agency. Even though I am convinced that God uniquely prepared me for this new role as HMB president, I've also realized that the Board's work has changed so much since I was on the mission field. It is far more complex today that it was 14 years ago. Interagency relationships and cooperative agreements with state conventions exist now that were not part of the process then. I've realized mission strategy cannot be planned by the HMB in isolation, but must be done in relationship with other autonomous Baptist bodies-churches, associations, state conventions and SBC national agencies.

It's exciting and thrilling to see God at work. But I am also greatly concerned about what God wants us to do in the future. His direction is still unfolding. A 28 members strategy planning task force is helping us brainstorm possible strategies in partnership with other Baptists.

Please pray with us, and join us as partners in the overwhelming task of providing for everyone in America a Bible-believing, soul-winning, ministering church. The challenge of winning our land to Christ is too great to do any less.

Report Prepared By: Dr. Larry Lewis
President: Home Mission Board

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Lois Jones

STATE MISSIONS

"Changing Lives Through State Missions" is a part of North Carolina Baptists response to the goals of Bold Mission Thrust. Those goals are to enable every person in the world to hear and respond to the gospel of Jesus Christ by the year 2000 and to provide them an opportunity to participate in the ministry and witness of a New Testament church.

The individual Christian working in the marketplace and through the local church, association and state convention is where Bold Missions must begin. One of the foundation stones of Bold Missions must be what we do together in North Carolina. State Missions is a vital part of that foundation.

State Missions is training, leading, guiding, affirming, and supporting fellow Christians as we work together to lead people to Christ and disciple them to become better Christians.

State Missions is new churches, new units, and new directions as we work to fulfill the Great Commission in North Carolina.

State Missions is people helping people, associations helping churches and the state convention working with churches and associations.

State Missions is providing Christian higher education. It is working cooperatively with General Baptist. State Missions is offering ministries with deaf, blind and physically impaired persons.

State Missions is relating to resort, lakeside, and camping ministries. It is work with migrant ministries and language ministries.

State Missions is helping to provide aid for pastor's salaries and helping with new site funds. State Missions is helping with emergency and disaster relief. State Missions is youth camps and conferences at Caswell, Caraway, and Truett.

State Missions is providing services to churches large and small and to pastors full-time and bi-vocational. State Missions is volunteerism, mission work crews, mission organizations and working in partnerships with other Christians.

State Missions is you.....at work where you are and around the world. Yes, truly lives are being changed through State Missions!

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Wayne Jones
Local Representative

TIME/PLACE/PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

The one hundred and third annual session of the Ashe Baptist Association will be held on Friday and Saturday, August 18 and 19, 1989.

The Liberty Grove Church will host on Friday, August 18 at the church. Hosting on Saturday, August 19 will be the Friendship Church, also at the church.

Rev. Claybern Roten, pastor at Wagoner Church was named to deliver the associational sermon on Friday afternoon. Named as the alternate was Rev. Johnny Blevins.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Jack Miller
Rev. Lloyd Day
Rev. Johnny Blevins

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

Brethren, be it resolved that on the one-hundred second meeting of the Ashe Baptist Association, that we strive to advance the Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ. Let us further resolve that we would, at all times, be in prayer for our sister churches. That we may be blessed, and work together under the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

And let it be further resolved that we give our heartfelt thanks to Brother Bill Ballou for his fine work with our association these many years and for the fine job of our Clerk, Mrs. Jeannie McNeill. To those of the Orion and New River Baptist churches, we would express our appreciation for their expressions of love and service.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Claybern Roten
Rev. Jack Pugh
Mr. Johnnie Roten

IN MEMORIAM
OUR BELOVED DEAD

It is altogether fitting and proper for this association to pause for a few minutes and pay tribute to those who have been called to join the Assembly of the Redeemed in Heaven. May we ever remember our deceased friends who took heed to what the Master said in John 11:25-26, when He said, "I am the resurrection and the life; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and beliveth in me shall never die."

APPLE GROVE - Mrs. Bonnie Farmer
BIG FLATTS - Mrs. Ruth Parsons
BIG LAUREL - Mr. Geter Roten (Deacon)
BLUE RIDGE - Mrs. Rebecca Parsons, Mrs. Adelia Harless
BRISTOL - Mrs. Letha Day, Mrs. Mary Hoosier
BUFFALO - Mr. James Robert Harless, Mrs. Debrah Harless Bratton
CLIFTON - Mrs. Annie Riley, Mrs. Ida Hartsog, Mr. Vance Richardson, Mr. Grant Miller, Mr. Charles Pennington, Mr. Howard Jones, Mrs. Nellie Ashley
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mrs. Hattie Hash, Mr. Harold Neaves
FRIENDSHIP - Mr. Bertie Dixon (Deacon), Mrs. Rebecca F. Caudill, Mr. Blan Little
HEALING SPRINGS - Mr. Leonard Baker, Mrs. Goldie McMillan, Mrs. Faye Pugh, Mrs. Ellen Eller
LAUREL KNOB - Mrs. Mary (Granny Mac) Holman
LITTLE HELTON - Mr. John Ball, Mrs. Ophia Hibbs
MIDWAY - Mr. Jesse Arnold
MISSION HOME - Mrs. Foster Brown
MOUNT OLIVE - Mr. Joseph Robert Caparolie (Minister of Music)
NEW RIVER - Mrs. Eva McNeal, Mrs. Lena Smith
OAK HILL - Mr. George Barker
OBIDS - Mrs. Inez Parsons Severt, Miss Ruth Dillard
OLD FIELDS - Mrs. Lena Bennett
ORION - Mrs. Effie South
PILOT MOUNTAIN - Mr. Samuel Jones, Vester Phillips
PLEASANT HOME - Mrs. George (Hazel) West
STURGILLS - Rev. Hayes McClure
THREE FORKS - Rev. Keene Roark
TUCKERDALE - Rev. Frank Tucker, Mrs. Lilly Powers Pennington, Miss Dula Christine Sullivan
WAGONER - Mrs. Mary Collins, Mr. Dean Lambert
WARRENSVILLE - Mrs. Bessie Johnson, Mr. Paul Osborne, Mrs. Lillie Ashley, Mrs. Lenna Burkett
WELCOME HOME - Mrs. Doris Ashley, Mr. Johnny Church
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Mr. Thomas G. Duncan, Mrs. Helen J. Duncan, Mr. Harrison Lee, Mr. Paul R. Hager, Mrs. Lillie G. Campbell, Mr. Weldon G. Myers

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS
Rev. William C. (Bill) Ballou
P.O. Box 297
Jefferson, NC 28640

Churches	Pastors & Addresses	County	Year organized as a church	Location	Services held twice on Sunday? Yes or No		Total Baptisms	Other additons (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Value of pastor's home	Value of church property	Total church debt at end of this associational year
APPLE GROVE	Earl Roten, Rt. 3 Box 260, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1889	1		N	2	0	2	78	27	105	0	0	0	0	0
BALO MOUNTAIN	Jack Pugh, Rt. 1 Box 626, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1890	1	Y		1	3	1	185	65	250	1	0		250,000	0
BAPTIST HOME	Wayne Roark, Rt. 1 Box 183, Creston, NC 28615	Ashe															
BEAVER CREEK	Thomas Shatley, Rt. 1 Box 234, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	1890	1	Y		0	2	6	77	5	82	0	0			
BETHEL	Ross Harless, Rt. 2 Box 130, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1851	1	Y			2	2	69	40	101					
BIG FLATTS	Charlie McCoy, PO Box 128, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	1905	1		N	1	0	2	72	25	107	0	0		18,520	
BIG LAUREL	Bill Oay, Rt. 2 Box 280, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1880	1		N	0	C	1	11	12	23	0	0	0	45,000	0
BLUE RIDGE	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 380, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1887	1	Y		2	0	2	37	18	55	0	0		75,000	0
BRISTOL	Billy Joe Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 84, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	1888	1	Y		0	2	6	216	46	262	0	0	0	100,000	0
BUFFALO	Johnny Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 1138, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1868	1		N	0	1	10	141	67	208	0	0	0	0	16,000
CALVARY	Ray Ham, Rt. 1 Box 582, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1960	3	Y		0	0	3	34	0	34	0	1	0	38,000	0
CHESTNUT HILL	Oanny Miller, Rt. 1 Box 331A, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe															
CLIFTON	Larry Powers, Rt. 1 Box 66A, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1891	1	Y		2	4	8	165	72	237	0	0	0	60,000	0
FARMER MEMORIAL	Anion Cole, Rt. 2 Box 127, Lansing, NC 28643																
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Gary Teague, PO Box 65, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1954	3	Y		8	8	7	339	60	399	1	2	142,887	597,887	51,692
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles Edwards, PO Box 1640, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1945	1	Y		0	4	7	187	100	287	0	1	67,500	600,000	0
FRIENDSHIP	Johnny Blevins, PO Box 881, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1880	1	Y		2	9	12	304	44	348	1	1		525,000	0
GLENCALE SPRINGS	Jerry Winkler, Box 30, Irongate, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	1914	1		N	1	3	3	106	77	183	0	3	0	118,000	0
GRASSY CREEK	Kermit Goodman, Gap Creek Estates, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1929	2		N	0	3	2	99	62	151	0	0	0	155,000	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Dean Watson, Rt. 1 Box 77, Fleetwood NC 28626	Ashe	1884	1	Y		3	4	5	117	57	174	0	0		120,000	0
LANDMARK	David Testerman, PO Box 1300, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1856	1	Y		6	3	2	144	148	292	2	0	0	175,000	5,950
LAUREL KNOB	Jimmy Rash, Rt. 1 Box 325, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1912	1	Y		3	0	1	80	25	105	0	0	0		
LIBERTY GROVE	Harvey Presnell, Rt. 3 Box 650, Banner Elk, NC 28604	Ashe	1915	1	Y		5	3	3	126	61	187	0	0	0	270,000	0
LITTLE HELTON	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1 Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1923	1		N	0	0	2	65	49	114	0	0	0	8,000	0
MIOWAY	Ervel Jones, rt. 3 Box 722, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1953	1	Y		5	9	1	203	65	268	2	0	65,000	525,000	1,897
MISSION HOME	Jack Miller Rt. 3 Box 178, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1892	2		N	0	8	0	130	30	160	0	0	0	115,000	0
MOUNT OLIVE	Gary Watson, Rt. 1 Box 71, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1942	1	Y		3	0	1								
NEW RIVER	Jimmy Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	Ashe	1885	1		N	4	10	3	110	125	235	0	C	0	100,000	4,000
NORTH BEAVER	David Blackburn, Rt. 1 Box 597, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	1943	1		N	0	4	0	98	43	141	0	0	0	100,000	23,431
OAK HILL	Garrett Mahaffey, Rt. 1 Box 196, Todd, NC 28684	Ashe	1927	1		N	18	3	2	88	72	160	1	0	0	74,000	0
OGIOS	Earl Sheets Sr., Rt. 1 Box 854, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1892	1		N	0	3	1	30	29	59	0	0	0	75,000	0
OLD FIELDS	W. M. Burchette, Rt. 3 Box 246, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1803	1	Y		0	2	8	76	15	91	0	0	0	175,000	3,000
ORION	John Leek, 302 Quail Hollow Rd, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1911	1		N	4	4	1	150	16	166	0	0	0	300,000	45,700
PEAK VALLEY	Bill Day, Rt. 2Box 280, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1882	1		N	0	0	0	7	10	17	0	0	0		
PHOENIX	Kenneth Hix, Rt. 3 Box 74-C2, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	1908	1		N	0	3	0	112	40	152	0	0	0	100,000	0
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Gwen Day, Rt. 1 Box 23B, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Wat.	1886	1	Y		3	0	2	74	22	96					
PINE SWAMP	Gary Watson, Rt. 1 Box 71, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1948	1		N	3	4	2	40	20	60	0	0	0	80,000	0
PLEASANT HOME	Marvin Smith, PO Box 39, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	1870	1		N	3	1	3	78	37	115	0	0	0	80,000	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	Gwen Day, Rt. 1 Box 23-B, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Ashe	1929	1		N	1	15	1	45	57	104	0	0	0	20,000	0
PROSPERITY	Elige Greer, Rt. 1 Box 269, Creston, NC 28615	Ashe															
ROUND KNOB	J. E. Owens, 308 North Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	1940	1		N	0	0	1	77	29	110	0	0	0	38,000	0
SABBATH HOME		Ashe	1931	1		N	1	1	3	28	21	49	1	3	0	17,000	0
STURGILLS	Lloyd Day, Rt. 3 Box 194, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1933	1		N	1	2	1	91	40	131	0	0	0	35,000	0
THREE FORKS	Bill Day, Rt. 2 Box 280, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1835	1		N	2	0	1	56	59	116	0	0	0	75,000	0
TRINITY	Paul Coffey, P.O. Box 105, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Wat.	1975	1	Y		6	4	9	200	18	218	0	0	0	300,000	19,310
TUCKEROALE	Lloyd Day, Rt. 3 Box 194, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1915	1		N	0	3	10	132	28	160	0	1	0	125,000	0
WAGONER	Claybern Roten, Rt. 4 Box 383E, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659	Ashe	1949	1		N	0	3	2	97	20	117	1	0	0	95,000	0
WARRENSVILLE	Jerry Burleson, PO Box 97, Warrensville, NC 28693	Ashe	1929	2	Y		4	6	7	197	65	262	0	0	90,000	320,000	7,300
WELCOME HOME	Joe Riley Blevins, Rt. 1 Box 272, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	1935	1		N	9	0	2	94	78	172	0	0	0	200,000	0
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Kenneth Morris, PO Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	1916	3	Y		6	1	13	366	48	414	1	4	85,000	500,000	40,000
	TOTALS						109	137	161	5,231	2,059	7,277	11	16	450,387	6,604,407	218,280

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS
REV. ERVEL JONES
RT. 3 BOX 722
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll enrollment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool enrollment (Birth through 5 years)	Children enrollment (6-11 yrs or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 yrs or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrollment-Single (18-29 yrs or HS grad. through 29)	Young Adult enrollment-Married (18-29 yrs or HS grad through 29)	Adult enrollment (30-59 yrs.)	Senior Adult enrollment 60 and over	Adults Away enrollment	Homebound enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	Number in Outreach Bible Study groups	Weekly evangelistic visitation Y-Yes N-No	Number ethnic Sunday School members	Church V.B.S. enrollment	Mission VBS enrollment	Backyard Bible Club enrollment
APPLE GROVE	Larry Little, Rt. 2 Box 432, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	5	5	0	2	20	10	0	0	0	0	42	35	0	N	0	0	0	0
BALD MOUNTAIN	Harold Wyatt, Rt. 1 Box 636, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	8	7	8	7	22	33	17	0	0	2	0	104	0	0	N	8	59	0	0
BAPTIST HOME	(Church Letter Not Received)																				
BEAVER CREEK	David Goodman, Rt. 2 Box 1B, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	5	2	5	2	10	6	6	0	0	0	31	28	0	N	0	29	0	0
BETHEL	Carl Osborne, Rt. 1Box 16R, Jefferson, NC 28640			10	13	14	0	52						89	49						
BIG FLATTS	Thomas H. Elliott, Rt. 1 Box 15A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	6	5	11	4	7	21	12	0	0	2	0	68	41	0	N	0	52	0	0
BIG LAUREL	Glyda Roten, Rt. 2 Box 140, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	2	0	9	7	0	N	0	16	0	0
BLUE RIDGE	J. F. Watson, Rt. 2 Box 324, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	15	0	0	2	0	20	20	0	N	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Billy Dean Lambert, 907 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	10	10	10	3	18	36	0	0	0	3	0	117	80	0	Y	0	100	0	0
BUFFALO	Doug Eller, Rt. 1 Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	7	10	12	5	10	35	10	0	0	6	0	95	82	0	N	0	86	0	0
CALVARY	Bobby Lambert, PO Box 192, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	3	2	2	4	8	5	0	0	0	0	3	023	0	N	0	33	0	0
CLIFTON	Edd Miller, Rt. 2 Box 40A, Creston, NC 28615	0	5	8	6	9	4	29	6	0	0	1	0	68	60	0	N	0	75	0	0
FARMER MEMORIAL	(Church Letter Not Received)																				
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Dan Bare, Rt. 3 Box 749, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	24	21	21	10	53	15	20	0	0	7	0	171	119	0	Y	0	152	0	0
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles Severt, Rt. 3 Box 457, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	2	14	6	8	12	84	23	0	0	4	0	154	89	0	Y	0	39	0	0
FRIENDSHIP	Kyle Ball, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	4	4	5	11	8	0	10	41	0	0	2	0	85	65	0	N	0	100	0	0
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Larry Elliott, 308 Sunnyside Drive, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	5	8	8	6	8	26	6	0	0	9	0	77	77	0	Y	0	60	0	0
GRASSY CREEK	Dewey Cox, Rt. 1 Box 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	5	5	6	3	4	29	10	0	0	10	0	72	47	0	N	0	41	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Charles Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 604, Crumpler, NC 28617	2	5	9	13	3	32	15	10	0	0	0	0	89	56	0	N	0	66	0	0
LANDMARK	Glenn Davis, Rt. 2 Box 5538, Lansing, NC 28643	4	4	6	15	5	2	50	12	0	0	0	0	97	85	0	N	0	90	0	0
LAUREL KNOB	Fred Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	2	3	10	10	4	0	10	0	0	0	5	0	44	40	0	N	0	50	0	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Kermit Miller, Star Route, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	7	9	10	5	4	26	18	0	0	3	0	82	60	0	N	0	0	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	Kevin Jones, Rt. 1 Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	3	5	5	2	4	18	20	0	0	0	0	58	34	0	N	0	59	0	0
MIDWAY	Dwight Furches, Rt. 3 Box 149, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	10	25	23	3	8	45	27	0	0	5	0	149	97	0	N	3	118	0	0
MISSION HOME	Bill Gentry, Rt. 1Box 251, Todd, NC 28684	0	8	11	20	4	9	43	17	0	0	9	0	121	89	0	N	0	98	0	0
MOUNT OLIVE	Harold Miller, Rt. 2 Box 182, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	8	7	6	0	15	5	0	0	7	0	0	37	0	N	0	0	0	0
NEW RIVER	Duane Pollard, Rt. 1 Box 556, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	13	21	11	4	7	39	16	0	4	10	0	125	81	0	Y	0	92	0	0
NORTH BEAVER	Jim Ketner, Rt. 2 Box 340, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	4	10	8	5	6	13	9	0	0	2	0	57	45	0	N	0	40	0	0
OAK HILL	Walter Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 54, Lansing, NC 28643	0	3	7	3	8	4	20	10	0	0	0	0	55	38	0	N	0	39	0	0
OBIDS	Glenn South, Rt. 2 Box 591, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	3	1	1	0	0	8	9	5	0	4	0	30	29	0	N	0	0	0	0
OLD FIELDS	John Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	2	14	5	3	0	18	22	0	0	2	0	66	55	0	Y	0	58	0	0
ORION	Russell Vannoy, Rt. 3 Box 711, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	4	10	2	5	23	16	0	0	2	0	68	59	0	N	0	50	0	0
PEAK VALLEY	Don Vannoy, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	2	0	12	10	0	N	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	J. C.Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	6	13	13	5	6	20	26	4	0	3	0	96	57	0	N	0	57	0	0
PILOT MOUNTAIN	None Listed	0	3	0	14	0	0	24	0	0	0	4	0	45	38	0	N	0	0	0	0
PINE SWAMP	Kyle Vannoy, PO Box 34, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	0	2	7	2	6	10	9	0	3	5	0	40	30	0	N	0	12	0	0
PLEASANT HOME	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1 Box 26-J, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	7	3	6	15	6	10	9	5	0	10	0	66	50	0	N	0	45	0	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	None listed	0	4	5	6	0	0	15	4	0	0	3	0	37	37	0	N	0	0	0	0
PROSPERITY	(Church Letter Not Received)																				
ROUND KNOB	Walter Smith	1	5	12	11	5	2	26	6	0	0	6	0	76	40	0	N	0	35	0	0
SABBATH HOME	Thomas Hamm, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	0	N	0	0	0	0
STURGILLS	Ricky Little, Rt. 2 Box 493, Lansing, NC 28643	3	15	18	18	0	0	50	0	0	0	0	0	105	60	0	N	0	0	0	0
THREE FORKS	Bill Farmer, Rt. 2 Box 20, Creston, NC 28615	0	3	13	5	8	4	15	8	0	0	5	0	61	38	0	N	0	50	0	0
TRINITY	Jack Watson, PO Box 93, Deep Gap, NC 28618	6	5	18	10	4	14	35	26	0	8	4	0	128	81	0	Y	0	124	0	0
TUCKERDALE	Ralph Davis, PO Box 115, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	11	18	12	7	27	30	0	0	0	12	0	117	87	0	N	0	67	0	0
WAGONER	Eddie Liddle, Rt. 1 Box 194A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	6	5	4	19	6	20	12	0	0	10	0	82	45	0	N	0	42	0	0
WARRENSVILLE	Lanny Lewis, Rt. 2 Box 12, West Jefferson, NC 28694	5	12	6	8	22	13	24	38	0	0	2	0	130	85	0	N	0	74	0	0
WELCOME HOME	Leonard Crepps, Rt. 1 Box 202-A, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	5	2	4	0	0	17	14	0	0	6	0	48	41	0	N	0	94	0	0
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Larry Rhodes, PO Box 61, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	7	47	20	16	39	40	54	0	15	5	0	243	92	0	N	0	57	0	0
	TOTALS	33	245	419	400	242	350	1,099	587	22	30	176	0	3,568	2,417	0		5	2,259	0	0

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

ASSOCIATIONAL CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTOR
MRS. GWEN ELLIOTT
RT. 3 BOX 142
WEST JEFFERSON, N.C. 28694

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment (5 yrs. and under - not in school)	Children enrollment (6-11 yrs. or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 yrs. or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Equipping Centers enrollment	N.C.M.T./Survival Kit enrollment	MasterLife enrollment	Other enrollment	Hold File enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total Church Training enrollment	Average weekly Church Training attendance
FRIENDSHIP	Mr. Bob Marsh, RT. 1 Box 6C2, Jefferson, NC 28640	2	2	10	18	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	32	25
LAUREL KNOB	Mrs. Freda Goodman, Star Route, Box 63B, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Mrs. Mary South, P.O. Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	35	2	0	54	40
MIDWAY	Mrs. Virginia Carr, Rt. 3, Box 804, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	4	3	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	31
MISSION HOME	Mr. Wayne Testerman, Rt. 1, Box 173, Todd, NC 28684	3	12	10	26	0	0	0	05	0	2	0	58	45
OLD FIELDS	Mr. James Brooks, Rt.1, Box 838, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	9	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	35	28
ORION	Mrs. Ruth Calhoun, P.O. Box 147, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	Mr. Rolin Davis, Rt. 1, Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	4	8	18	0	14	0	0	0	4	0	50	28
TRINITY	Mr. Lavern Watson, Rt.1, Box 85, Fleetwood, NC 28626	3	5	12	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55	47
WARRENSVILLE	Mr. Stanley Lindsey, P.O. Box 386, Jefferson, NC 28640	6	10	9	51	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	78	24
	TOTALS	**21**	**36**	**52**	**186**	**0**	**31**	**0**	**5**	**35**	**17**	**0**	**390**	**268**

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC DIRECTOR
MR. DEWEY CAMPBELL
P.O. Box 461
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment	Younger children's enrollment (6-8 years)	Older children's enrollment (9-11 years)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrollment	Vocal ensembles enrollment	General music leaders enrollment	Enrollment of Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	Average weekly Music Ministry attendance	
BALD MOUNTAIN		4	7	2	3	15	0	4	0	3	0	38	35
BEAVER CREEK	Sandy Patrick, Rt. 3 Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	10	8
BETHEL	Earl McNeill, PO Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694												
BIG FLATTS	Russell Phillips, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	6	2	3	11	39	0	5	0	2	0	68	40
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	2	0	8	0
BLUE RIDGE	Patricia Hayworth, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694												
BRISTOL	Vaugh BAldwin, 32 Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	4	3	2	25	0	0	0	4	0	38	30
BUFFALO	Charles Harless, Rt. 1 Box 270, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	3	5	15	20	0	0	2	3	0	51	25
CALVARY	Claybern Wagoner, Rt. 1, BAre St., West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1	13	0	0	2	2	0	17	10
CLIFTON	Heather Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 40-A, Creston, NC 28615	1	0	4	4	14	0	0	0	1	0	24	20
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Junior Greer, Rt. 3 Box 688, West Jefferson, NC 28694	8	2	0	12	30	0	7	6	4	0	69	32
FRIENDLY GROVE	Dewey Campbell, PO Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	28	0	17	0	4	0	49	24
FRIENDSHIP	Linda BAll, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	10	20	0	0	0	3	0	33	20
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Oale Neaves, Rt. 1 Box 11 , Jefferson, NC 28640	0	4	4	4	13	0	5	4	6	0	39	20
GRASSY CREEK	Nancy Phipps, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363												

HEALING SPRINGS	Shannon Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	3	0	23	15
LANDMARK	R. L. Blevins, PO Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	6	5	12	18	0	4	0	2	0	47	20
LAUREL KNOB	Freda Goodman, Star Route Box 638, Deep Gap, NC 28618												
LIBERTY GROVE	William Scott, Rt. 1 Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	1	1	3	7	19	0	0	0	2	0	33	18
LITTLE HELTON	Wilford Porter, Rt. 1 Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	2	1	2	3	9	0	0	0	1	0	18	12
MIOWAY		5	0	0	8	21	0	4	0	7	0	45	25
MISSION HOME	Jim Gentry, PO Box 1054, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	4	7	10	16	0	0	0	3	16	57	45
MOUNT OLIVE	Tony Caparolie, Rt. 1 Box 185, Todd, NC 28684												
NEW RIVER	A. T. Arnold, Rt.1 Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	5	8	0	0	18	0	2	0	4	0	37	35
NORTH BEAVER	Bob Neaves, PO Box 206, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	3	0	5	12	0	5	6	4	0	35	12
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	4	2	22	0	0	0	3	0	29	0
OBIOS	Vilena South, Rt. 2 Box 591, West Jefferson, NC 28694									2		2	0
OLO FIELDS	Dianne Brown, Rt. 2 Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	7	4	0	15	0	0	0	2	0	29	22
ORION	Reba Osborn, PO Box 365, West Jefferson, NC 28694					25		13		2		40	20
PHOENIX	Bob Calhoun, Rt. 3 Box 268, Lansing, NC 28643	1	2	2	3	17	0	6	1	5	0	37	15
PLEASANT HOME	Beatrice Young, Grassy Creek, NC 28631												
PLEASANT VALLEY	Ward Ballou, Rt. 1 Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 28631												
ROUND KNOB	Anna Belle Cox, Rt. 2 Box 154, Fleetwood, NC 28626												
SABBATH HOME	Ruby Harm, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643											1	
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643												
TRINITY	Jack Watson	0	0	0	4	28	0	0	0	3	0	35	25
TUCKEROALE	Edison Harless, Rt. 2 Box 644, Lansing, NC 28643												
WAGONER	Russell Roark, Rt. 1 Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	2	3	3	0	10	0	1	1	7	10	19	10
WARRENSVILLE		4	8	6	2	35	0	5	0	5	0	65	25
WELCOME HOME	Claude Neaves, 1450 N. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640					18				2		20	
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST		0	0	6	10	26	10	4	1	3	0	60	32
	TOTALS	44	67	64	130	556	10	82	23	95	26	1,076	595

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL WMU DIRECTOR
MRS. FRED (RUTH) CALHOUN
P.O. Box 147
JEFFERSON, N.C. 28640

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Mission Friends (5 yrs. and under-not in school)	Girls in action (6-11 yrs or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 yrs or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 yrs or HS grad. through 29 yrs.)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Mission Friends (5 yrs and under not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 yrs or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 yrs or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 yrs or HS grad. through 29 yrs)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrollment
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mrs. Paulette Poe, Rt.1, Box 621, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	5	2	0	9	10	6	0	30
BUFFALO	Mrs. Joann Swift, P.O. Box 1075, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	2	2	3	10	2	19	19
CLIFTON	Mrs. Debbie Jones, Rt. 1 Box 23B, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	10	0	12	2	0	24
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mrs. Kathy Bower, 417 Martin Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	8	6	10	12	14	1	0	51
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mrs. Leonard Jordan, Rt. 3 Box 199, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	0	0	3	0	5	12	6	0	0	38	7	0	63
FRIENDSHIP	Mrs. Patsy Miller, 235 Glenn Bare Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	2	3	10	0	18	0	33	4	5	12	0	18	9	0	46
LIBERTY GROVE	Mrs. Lorna Scott, Rt. 1 Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	4	3	0	9	1	0	17
MIDWAY	Mrs. Lois Jones, Rt. 3 Box 742, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	6	3	5	0	15	3	0	32
MISSION HOME	Mrs. Nelda Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 150, Todd, NC 28684	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	7	0	0	0	17	5	0	29
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jean Eggers, Rt. 1 Box 41, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	12	3	0	16
NORTH BEAVER	Mrs. Linda Blackburn, Rt. 1 Box 597, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	5	5	0	12
OLD FIELDS	Mrs. Norma Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	1	0	1	0	1	3	0	6	0	7	7	2	0	22
ORION	Mrs. Clyde Dillard, Rt. 1 Box 57, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	8	11	5	16	8	0	52
PHOENIX	Mrs. Cecile Eldreth, P.O. Box 26, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	00	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	3	5
TRINITY	Mrs. Martha Watson, Rt. 1 Box 85, Fleetwood, NC 28693	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	6	5	8	15	10	6	48
WAGONER	Mrs. Dianne Sheets, Rt. 1 Box 180-A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5	10	5	15	15
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Geraldine Reed, Rt. 3 Box 119, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	3	8	3	12	15	1	0	42
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Mrs. Cathy Yates, P.O. Box 125, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	3	5	9	0	64	8	0	89
	TOTALS	**11**	**13**	**18**	**6**	**42**	**4**	**90**	**56**	**63**	**70**	**62**	**287**	**78**	**43**	**612**

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD DIRECTOR
MR. JIMMY LAMBERT
RT. 3 BOX 752
WEST JEFFERSON, N.C. 28694

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Lads (6-8 yrs or grades 1-3)	Crusaders (9-11 yrs or grades 4-6)	Pioneers (12-14 yrs or grades 7-9)	RA director and committee	High school Baptist Young Men enrollment	Baptist Young Men enrollment	Baptist Men enrollment	Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood officers	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
BUFFALO	Lester Jones, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	11
CLIFTON	John Richardson, Rt. 2 Box 280, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1	0	6
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Larry Ballou, P.O. Box 180, Jefferson, NC 28640	2	7	4	4	0	0	20	4	0	41
FRIENDSHIP	Mike Dixon, 206 Frank Witherspocn Rd., Jefferson, NC	0	2	0	1	6	0	0	2	0	11
MIDWAY	Sterling Copeland, Rt. 2 Box 681, West Jefferson, NC	0	6	0	1	0	0	12	3	0	18
OLD FIELDS	William Fairchild, Rt. 2 Box 252, West Jefferson, NC	2	0	0	1	0	2	7	1	0	13
PHOENIX	Howard Turnmire, Rt. 1 Box 32A, Warrensville, NC	0	2	0	0	1	0	12	2	0	17
TRINITY	Walter Baldwin, Rt. 1 Box 138, Todd, NC 28684	6	6	0	0	0	0	15	2	0	29
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	John R. Smith, II, P.O. Box 1215, Boone, NC 28607	0	8	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	10
	TOTALS	**10**	**31**	**4**	**19**	**7**	**2**	**71**	**16**	**0**	**156**

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP

ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER
MRS. FRED (JEANNIE) McNEILL
RT. 1 Box 87
CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES	Number of tithers	Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignged receipts	Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc	Designated Gifts, Offerings, etc.	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total Receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt.1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	26			3,994	0	3,994	0	3,994	0	1,055	0	0	241	2,513	3,809
BALD MOUNTAIN	Ronnie Hopkins, Rt. 1 Box 679, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	18	6	6	32,807	5,948	38,755	1,600	40,355	0	13,900	0	0	1,196	7,698	22,794
BAPTIST HOME	(No report received)															
BEAVER CREEK	Wayne Patrick, Rt. 3 Box 613, W. Jefferson, NC 28694				12,426	291	12,717	0	12,717	0	6,066	0	0	782	4,572	11,420
BETHEL	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, W. Jefferson, NC 28694										6,227	0	0	514	6,741	6,741
BIG FLATTS	Janet Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 219, Todd, NC 28684	7			13,596	4,873	18,469		18,469		6,020			416	6,293	12,729
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	2	2	2	3,067	556	3,623		3,623		820			24	1,861	2,725
BLUE RIDGE	Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308, W. Jefferson, NC 28694				7,294		7,294		7,294		3,250			74	1,846	5,170
BRISTOL	Mary Lambert, 907 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	45	4	4	25,938	10,939	36,837	905	37,782	0	17,875	0	0	697	8,634	22,205
BUFFALO	Kim Furches, Rt. 3 Box 402, W. Jefferson, NC 28694				19,808	4,792	24,600	0	24,600	16,000	8,606	37,193	0	848	691	47,338
CALVARY	Bobby Lambert, Church Ave., W. Jefferson, NC 28694	14	0	5	4,000	2,100	6,100	0	6,100	0	2,460	2,100	0	300	500	5,360
CLIFTON	Mary Richardson, Rt. 1 Box 257, Warrensville, NC 28693	15	2	2	17,966	4,268	22,234	0	22,234	0	9,175	0	4,068	945	5,502	19,690
FARMER MEMORIAL	(No report received)															
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Jan Bare 110 Lawson Lane, Jefferson, NC 28640	20	8	6	87,872	14,664	102,536	55,256	157,792	76,692	27,318	128,651	336,491	3,761	18,683	214,904
FRIENDLY GROVE	Lois Severt, Rt. 3 Box 429, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	25	5	5	54,549	8,034	62,583	2,799	65,382	0	27,572	17,617	0	2,925	9,468	57,582
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Madge Hudler, Rt. 2 Box 498, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	20	0	1	28,035	0	28,035	0	28,035	0	11,800	0	0	876	5,240	17,916
GRASSY CREEK	Dixie Hart, Rt. 1 Box 29, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	10	6	0	21,087	1,217	22,304	0	22,304	0	13,795	3,240	0	773	4,213	22,021

HEALING SPRINGS	Rosemary Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 609, Crumpler, NC 28617	12	B	4	24,516	5,932	30,448	100	30,548	0	13,125	1,143	0	995	9,501	24,764
LANDMARK	Linda Blevins, PO Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	15	5	5	17,921	5,802	23,723	0	23,723	0	9,095	0	1,341	411	7,735	18,582
LAUREL KNOB	Imogene Goodman, 840 E. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	15	4	3	22,036	2,487	24,523	259	24,782	0	13,587	0	0	497	3,303	17,387
LIBERTY GROVE	Mary South, PO Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618	7	6	4	22,334	4,450	26,784	0	26,784	0	8,570	0	0	616	8,463	17,649
LITTLE HELTON	Kay Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631				3,923	1,200	5,123	0	5,123	0	2,788	3,868	0	493	437	7,586
MIDWAY	Barbara Hodges, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	35	10	6	67,426	7,278	74,704	776	75,480	0	21,322	0	6,676	3,016	21,379	52,393
MISSION HOME	Gayle Phillips, Rt. 1 Box 212, Todd, NC 28684	40	4	0	23,183	11,195	34,378	762	35,140	0	15,452	3,061	0	1,489	5,437	25,437
MOUNT OLIVE	Tony Caparelle, Rt. 1 Box 185, Todd, NC 28684				10,316	1,496			11,812	1,000	2,419		2,226	426	1,032	6,103
NEW RIVER	Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	35	4	B	40,211	5,026	45,237	172	45,409	0	24,199	1,294	4,572	842	6,357	37,263
NORTH BEAVER	Elaine Sheets, Rt. 2 Box 796, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	12	4	B	17,720	0	17,720	99	17,819	0	8,452	0	3,363	920	2,465	15,200
OAK HILL	Burton Miller, Rt. 2 Box 15, Lansing, NC 28643				15,308	3,428	18,736	0	18,736	0	6,694	3,307	0	582	4,706	15,289
OBIOS	Margaret Bare, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694										2,300	1,361		511	B15	4,988
OLD FIELDS	Nelle Hayes, Rt. 3 Box 732, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	20	7	5	23,877	18,695	42,572	0	42,572	0	42,572	10,000	7,000	1,376	6,010	22,186
ORION	Ralph Jones, Rt. 1 Box 500, Crumpler, NC 28617	5	10	10	33,482	23,627	57,109	4,280	61,389	49,500	15,450	76,247	6,889	1,702	8,083	108,371
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 289, Cres n, NC 28615				1,298	0	1,298	0	1,298	0	360	0	0	37	529	926
PHOENIX	Bruce Eller, Rt. 1 Box 77, Warrensville, NC 28693	22	3	4	26,835	2,204	29,039	391	29,430	0	16,200	0	0	1,720	5,042	21,242
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Mary Green, Rt. 1 Box 777, Boone, NC 28607				3,178	110	0	0	3,288	0	1,280	1,339	0	0	1,867	3,147
PINE SWAMP	Shelby Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 204, Fleetwood, NC 28626				6,311	1,122	7,433	0	C	0	3,900	2,827	0	292	1,332	7,019
PLEASANT HOME	Sue Weaver, Rt. 1 Box 290, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	13	6	4	13,375	1,590	14,965	55	15,020	0	5,300	0	0	487	1,673	6,678
PLEASANT VALLEY	Ward BAllou, Rt. 1, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	15			2,451	0	2,451	0	2,451	0	0	1,800	0	50	342	2,192
PROSPERITY	(No report received)															
ROUND KNOB	Annie Severt, Rt. 2 Box 160, Fleetwood, NC 28626		3	3	10,617	0	10,617	0	10,617	0	6,036	5,210	0	170	1,010	12,426
SABBATH HOME	Ruby Hamm, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643										141	0	0	236	165	542
STURGILLS	Katherine Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643				B,516	900	9,416	0	9,416	0	4,000	250	0	520	1,454	6,224
THREE FORKS	Carroll Roter, Rt. 2 Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	5	3	2	12,478	228	12,606	0	12,606	0	0	0	0	522	5,355	5,877
TRINITY	Leslie Gentry, Rt. 1 Box 115, Deep Gap, NC 28618	34	11	4	46,879	12,031	58,910	0	58,910	0	10,415	0	8,880	1,607	11,885	32,787
TUCKEROALE	Ronda Powers, Rt. 2 Box 716, Lansing, NC 28643	22			23,681	1,400	25,081	200	25,281	0	9,875	0	0	1,280	3,091	14,246
WAGONER	Irma Liddle, Rt. 1 Box 194A, Jefferson, NC 28640	5	10		18,933	578	19,511	0	19,511	0	5,414	0	0	278		17,320
WARRENSVILLE	Harry Ashley, Rt. 2 Box 217, Warrensville, NC 28693	70			37,549	10,997	48,546	0	48,546	3,300	25,564	0	2,692	3,037	7,137	38,430
WELCOME HOME	Helen Williams, Rt. 3 Box 35, Jefferson, NC 28640	2	B	2	17,623	20,005	37,628	0	37,628	0	12,282	0	0	799	20,597	33,635
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Jennifer Dollar, PO Box 173, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	38	12	3	96,035	22,693	118,728	1,298	120,026	40,000	43,360	44,615	612	6,227	70,203	165,018
	TOTALS	636			1803949	235075	1236035	68952	1312697	196492	47491B	3491B6	84810	46806	308440	1042590

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK
MRS. FRED (JEANNIE) MCNEILL
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CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	Money Paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expend.	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State Missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education schools etc.	SB Children's homes cash plus goods	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total mission expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	0	100	100	20	0	20	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	80	180
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mary Hopkins, Rt. 1 Box 679, W. Jefferson,NC 28694	0	0	0	1,879	2,327	223	301	650	0	0	70	0	1,120	4,731	6,610
BAPTIST HOME	(No Report Received)															
BEAVER CREEK	Warren Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 803, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	504	0	118	127	0	360	0	360	0	0	0
BETHEL	Mrs. E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	50	470	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,732	0	3,302
BIG FLATTS	Aneta Elliott, Rt. 1 Box 15A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	100	120	56	160	400	0	123	0	0	0	859	959
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	400	300	0	0	0	0	49	0	0	0	349	749
BLUE RIDGE	Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	508	508	0	100	0	0	0	0	200	0	0	600	900	1,408
BRISTOL	Dianne Miller, Rt. 3 Box 625, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1,571	1,742	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	0	2,542	4,113
BUFFALO	Kathy Eller, Rt. 1 Box 584, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	150	200	0	410	400	0	0	0	0	0	1,010	1,160
CALVARY	Phillip Clark, Rt. 2 Box 760, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	100	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	120	120
CLIFTON	Miss Carol Jores, Rt.2 Box 32, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	178	178	0	250	250	0	0	0	0	0	678	856
FARMER MEMORIAL	(No Report Received)															
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mary Blackburn, 107 Wily Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	7,025	5,269	276	2,115	2,341	0	0	0	0	4,531	14,532	21,557
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mrs. Rayborne Harless, Rt. 3 Box 247, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	2,350	2,280	1,750	1,632	2,670	0	0	0	0	3,209	11,541	13,891
FRIENDSHIP	Fred Walters, Rt. 1 Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	1,721	1,559	1,052	977	1,500	0	0	0	0	0	5,088	6,809
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Bronda Elliott, 308 Sunryside Drive, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0180	90	0	0	0	100	0	100	1,064	1,534	1,534
GRASSY CREEK	Dixie Hart, Rt. 1 Box 29, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	0	0	1,091	916	0	0	275	0	0	0	0	0	1,191	2,282

HEALING SPRINGS	Nancy Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	1,316	1,357	444	134	278	0	0	142	0	2,376	4,681	5,957
LANDMARK	Linda Blevins, PO Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	856	267	0	0	827	0	90	0	0	525	1,669	2,565
LAUREL KNOB	Joanne Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	387	598	0	0	357	0	0	364	0	134	1,483	1,870
LIBERTY GROVE	J. C. Trivette, Rt. 1 Box 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	1,200	1,346	0	3,717	1,950	0	0	0	0	0	7,053	8,253
LITTLE HELTON	Kay Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	97	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	297
MIDWAY	Don Goodman, Rt. 2 Box 18, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	6,683	5,474	500	951	2,153	0	40	40	39	1,253	10,460	17,143
MISSION HOME	Genevieve Grogan, Rt. 1 Box 155, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	1,105	1,000	225	1,017	1,365	0	0	0	0	0	2,755	3,860
MOUNT OLIVE	Joann Hardin, Rt. 1 Box 87, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	1,968	1,968	300	100	75	151	0	0	0	0	0	626	952	3,220
NEW RIVER	Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	0	0	0	1,793	2,175	3443	552	1,637	0	25	193	183	0	5,101	6,894
NORTH BEAVER	Geraldine Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 190, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	746	1,444	0	86	121	86	86	86	0	0	1,915	2,661
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	120	0	0	861	0	240	0	0	1,623	2,844	2,844
OBIDS	Nettie McNeill, Rt. 2 Box 367, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	141	169	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	169	310
OLD FIELDS	Phyllis Yates, Box 37, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	1,500	1,000	530	1,040	1,300	0	0	0	0	1,200	5,070	6,570
ORION	Nancy Woodie, Rt. 3 Box 740, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1,933	1,245	221	501	640	0	0	0	0	0	2,607	4,540
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 289, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	150	100	0	0	100	0	60	0	0	0	260	410
PHOENIX	Mary Jane Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	900	1,105	105	154	656	15	90	45	45	700	2,915	3,815
PILOT MOUNTAIN	John Byland, Rt. 1 Box 25, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	178	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	178	178
PINE SWAMP	Shelby Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 290, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	200	150	0	0	0	0	51	0	0	50	251	451
PLEASANT HOME	Sharon Parsons, Rt. 1 Box 306, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	669	534	133	501	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	00	1,228	1,897
PROSPERITY	(No Report Received)															
ROUND KNOB	Martha Cox, Rt. 2 Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	301	301	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	301	602
SABBATH HOME	Ruby Hamm, Rt. 1 Box 136, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	00
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	00	500	0	2,846	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,346	3,346
THREE FORKS	Carroll Roten, Rt. 2 Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	400	300	0	0	0	0	228	0	0	120	648	1,048
TRINITY	Jesse Baldwin, Rt 1 Box 138, Todd, NC 28684	5,000	2,750	7,750	4,883	3,413	500	1,165	2,206	0	0	0	0	676	7,960	20,593
TUCKERDALE	Jeanette Davis, Rt. 1 Box 317A, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	500	744	0	500	711	0	600	200	0	1,354	4,109	4,609
WAGONER	Elsie Poe, Rt. 1 Box 105, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	0	0	0	145	542	200	0	108	0	0	0	0	342	11,920	13,370
WARRENSVILLE	Geraldine Reed, Rt.3 Box 119, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	853	1,319	456	635	875	0	72	71	72	1,193	3,840	4,693
WELCOME HOME	Deanna Sebastian, Rt. 1 Box 253, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	1,615	802	335	0	333	0	0	0	0	0	1,470	3,085
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Theresa Curd, Rt. 2 Box 410, W. Jefferson, NC 286 4	0	0	0	13,500	2,400	771	2,600	5,052	0	225	113	112	1,136	12,409	25,909
	TOTALS	5,000	5,995	10,860	58,212	45,304	8,272	22,252	30,433	103	2,604	1,316	911	25,564	143,099	216,710

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

CHURCHES	MODERATOR REV. DAVID BLACKBURN RT. 1 Box 597 CRUMPLER, NC 28617 CHAIRMAN OF DEACONS & ADDRESSES	No. church type missions started during the year	No church type missions currently operating	No. new Sunday School Members	Lottie Moon offering goal	Annie Armstrong offering	No. persons in non-English classes	N=no TV=TV R=radio B=both	No. in Sunday School but not church member	College students baptized	Weekday education enr.	N=NAS K=KJ I=NIV R=RSV	N=none (=outside C=Church	Y= Yes, N = No Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc? Language Culture Group	Multiple Sunday Schools	Family Ministry Emph. Days	Baptist Doctrine Study	BMT prayer activities	Auto. data processing	Special Ministries	History Committee	Media Library	RA Week	Se.omaru Degree	State paper in budget
APPLE GROVE	Alvin Roland, Rt. 1, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	3	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BALO MOUNTAIN	Dean Lawrence, Rt. 3 Box 572, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	650	301	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
BEAVER CREEK	Warren Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 142, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	100	100	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
BETHEL	Ralph Bard, Rt. 2 Box 220, Fleetwood, NC 28626																								
BIG FLATTS	Wm. T. Bumgarner, Rt. 1 Box 15, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	5	400	104	0	0	3	OP	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N
BIG LAUREL	(None Listed)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	01	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BLUE RIDGE	C. W. Johnson, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	RSV	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BRISTOL	Ralph Testerman, PO Box 373, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	6	200	200	0	0	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
BUFFALO	Edgar Duncan, Rt. 1 Box 328, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	1	400	410	0	0	1	1	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CALVARY	(None listed)	0	0	0	0	20	0	C	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CLIFTON	Joe Eastridge, Rt. 1 Box 255, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	6	250	250	0	0	6	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Toy Campbell, PO Box 414, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	10	2,000	2,115	0	R	20	0	0	KJ	CO	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
FRIENDLY GROVE	Marvin Osborne, Rt. 3 Box 493, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	15	2,670	1,632	0	N	4	0	0	KJ	COM	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
FRIENDSHIP	Kyle Ball, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	7	1,500	977	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	COM	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Charles Absher, Rt. 3 Box 84, Wilbar, NC 28696	0	0	12	0	0	0	N	9	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
GRASSY CREEK	Dewey Cox, Rt. 1 Box 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	3	275	185	0	N	5	0	0	KJ	COM	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N

HEALING SPRINGS	Clifton Poe, Rt. 1 Box 436, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	228	0	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N
LANDMARK	M. J. Blackburn, Rt. 2 Box 190, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	9	1,000	350	0	N	14	0	0	KJ	COM	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
LAUREL KNOB	Fred Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	16	0	0	0	N	10	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
LIBERTY GROVE	J. C. Trivette, Rt. 1 Box 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	8	2,000	600	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N
LITTLE HELTON	Moody Hale, Rt. 1 Box 269, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	1	0	0	KJ	COM	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
MIOWAY	Howard Jones, Rt. 3 Box 742, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	13	2,000	951	0	N	3	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y
MISSION HOME	Bill Gentry, Rt. 1 Box 251, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	7	700	1,017	0	N	8	0	0	KJ	COM	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	
MOUNT OLIVE	Martin Surber, Rt. 1 Box 195, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	150	75																			
NEW RIVER	Allen Huffman, Rt. 1 Box 13H, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	17	500	552	0	N	6	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y
NORTH BEAVER	Bryce Hurley, Rt. 2 Box 792, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	3	121	88	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N
OAK HILL	Lida Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 83, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	15	861	0	0	N	2	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
OBIOS	Weldon Bare, Rt. 2 Box 517, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	NN	N	N	N
OLD FIELDS	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 220, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	1	6	1,200	1,040	0	N	2	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N
ORION	Sam Bowers, Rt. 1 Box 38A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	5	500	501	0	N	3	0	0	KJ	COM	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y
PEAK VALLEY	Don McCoy, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	100	0	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PHOENIX	Bernard Calhoun, Rt. 3 Box 27, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	250	154	0	N	5	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y
PILOT MOUNTAIN	William F. Vannoy, Rt. 1 Box 44, Todd, NC 28684																								
PINE SWAMP	Emory Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 290, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	6	0	0	0	N	7	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PLEASANT HOME	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1 Box 26J, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	5	0	561	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PLEASANT VALLEY	(None Listed)	0	0	20	0	0	0	N	8	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
ROUND KNOB	John Miller, Rt. 2, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
SABBATH HOME	Ray Elliott, Rt. 1, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
STURGILLS	Rick Little, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	12	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
THREE FORKS	Bill Farmer, Rt. 2 Box 20, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	0	0	0	N	1	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
TRINITY	Ronnie Dowell, Rt. 1 Box 471, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	2	0	2,000	1,165	0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y
TUCKERDALE	Lake Brooks, Rt. 2 Box 456A, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	7	500	0	0	N	10	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
WAGONER	Russell Roark, Rt. 1 Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	0	0	5			0	N	0	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
WARRENSVILLE	Harold Ashley, PO Box 5, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	5	850	635	0	N	7	1	0	KJ	COM	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	
WELCOME HOME	Fred McNeill, Rt. 1 Box 87, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	2	0	0	KJ	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Ken Gardner, 306-15 Miller St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	11	5,000	2,600	0	R	10	0	0	R	COM	N	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
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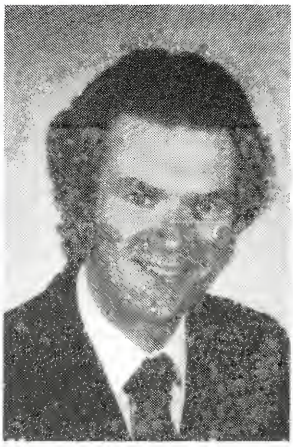

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THE 1989 ANNUAL OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION IS DEDICATED TO

REV. WALTER DAY
1908-1988

Rev. Walter Day was born March 7, 1908 to Jacob W. and Litha A. Day. He came from the home of hard-working Christian parents. There were four brothers and two sisters. He was married to Ola Elliott Day in 1928. In the sixty years they were blessed to be together, they raised a family of ten children, five boys, Worth, Harold, Roger, Lloyd, and Danny. Five girls, Lina, Linda, Barbara, Donna, and Phyllis. They have blessed him with 29 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren. He gave his heart to the Lord at the age of 21, joined the Smethport Baptist Church where he remained a member, or many years, laboring for the Lord. In his early years there he worked many hours, freely giving his time rebuilding the old building and turning it into a beautiful church. It has been changed over the years and is presently being used for class rooms. He was ordained a deacon at an early age and served twelve years. He served as Associational Sunday School Director for three years.

He was ordained to the Gospel Ministry in 1949 at the Smethport Baptist Church. The Lord began opening doors for him to begin his work as pastor and he served the following churches: Smethport, 7 years - Pleasant Valley, 18 years - Baptist Home 7 years - North Beaver, 3 years - Pleasant Branch, 19 years.

He labored long and hard as a carpenter and farmer to raise his children and was blessed by the Lord to have one of his sons, Lloyd called to preach the Gospel.

On October 27, 1988, as the family gathered to spend a last few hours with our precious husband and father, we sang hymns and had prayer and could feel the sweet Spirit of the Lord. With his wife at his side, hand in his, and his children around his bed, our Heavenly Father gently called him home as the sun began to set. As the Bible says in II Tim. 4:7, "He fought a good fight, he finished his course, he kept his faith." He is loved and missed by all who knew him. Our loss is Heaven's Gain, and by the Grace Of God we will all be together again in Heaven.

LIBERTY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH

Hosting on Friday, August 18, 1989
at Liberty Grove Church

FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

Hosting on Saturday, August 19, 1989
at Friendship Baptist Church

LIBERTY GROVE BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

The Liberty Grove Baptist Church was organized on September 25, 1915 with thirty Charter members. Their first affiliation was with the Three Forks Association but in 1921 they requested and received membership in the Ashe Baptist Association where they have remained a faithful and cooperating church.

Several changes have taken place over the years. One of the most recent improvements was the building of a Fellowship Hall and the paving of the Fellowship parking lot.

The church has been faithfully served by 22 pastors since it was organized. They are as follows:

D.O. Ray - 1915
D.M. Wheeler - 1915
George M. Reeves - 1917
C.M. Cope - 1918
M.A. Adams - 1919-1920
I.M. Hays - 1921-1922
Coy Blackburn - 1923-1924
J.A. Brindell - 1924-1926
I.B. Mury - 1926-1928
H.M. Winkler - 1928-1939
Levy Greer - 1939-1941
Vilas Minton - 1941-1943
G.C. Burkette - 1943-1951
Bynum Trivette - 1951-1956
Roe Paisley - 1956-1961
John Goodman - 1961-1966
G.C. Burkette - 1967-1970
Carl Witherspoon - 1970-1974
Kermit Goodman - 1974-1979
Gary Watson - 1980-1982
David Long - 1982-1985
Harvey Presnell - 1986-Present

"A Church Sharing God's Love"
FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

Friendship Baptist Church was organized in the home of Mr. Blake (Grandaddy) Weaver, which was located below Ashe Central High School, on August 11, 1880, and begun its meetings in the old Friendship School building. Worship services were held in the old school until a new building was erected near the school in 1909. Rev. Thomas Duncan was elected the first pastor in 1880, and served the church until 1897. G.W. Burkette, grandfather of Rev. G.C. Burkette, was the first person received by baptism into the fellowship of the church. Riley Shatley was the first deacon ordained by the church.

Land was first purchased by the church from Catherine and G.W. Burkette on September 6, 1906, and consisted of one acre. It was here that a new church was built. The first service in the new building was held in May of 1909. This building was located just ten feet to the right of the present facility. Rev. R.M. Burkette, father of Rev. G.C. Burkette, was ordained to the gospel ministry at this frist meeting in the new structure.

The orginial portion of the present building was built in 1950, and the old church building was torn down. The last sermon in the old building was preached by Rev. J.T. Cockerham. The first sermon in the new church was preached by Rev. M.D. Hart who served as pastor from 1948-1956. The church has experienced continued growth in its facilities. With land donated by Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Marsh, and land purchased from them and from Rev. and Mrs. G.C. Burkette, the church has had several additions and improvements.

In its 109 year history, the church has grown from a small group that met in a home to a total membership of over 350 people who are blessed with a spacious and modern building. The budget has grown from $3.00 per week in 1880 to over $1100.00 per week at the present time.

Friendship Baptist Church has been blessed by the Lord with fine pastors down through the years: Rev. T.M. Duncan 1880-97; Rev. G.W. Eller 1897-98; Rev. E. Blevins 1898-1902; Rev. J.M. Neaves 1902-03; Rev. E. Tucker 1903-04; Rev. J.F. Fletcher 1904-05; Rev. P.H. Haire 1905-07; Rev. W.F. Barker 1907-11; Rev. R.M. Burkette 1911-12; Rev. T.M. Hayes 1912-15; Rev. W.E. Carlton 1917-20; Rev. W.E. Denny 1925-48; Rev. M.D. Hart 1948-56; Rev. G.C. Burkette 1956-66; Rev. E.W. Powers 1966-72; Rev. T.E. Johnson 1972-80; Rev. H.A. Parunak 1980-88, and Rev. Johnny Blevins who is currently serving the church as pastor having assumed the pastoral duties in May of 1988.

God continues to bless the Friendship Church. The membership has grown to the point that additional space was needed. From 1978 through 1989 the following improvements have been made. A new wing was constructed including a kitchen and fellowhsip hall, classrooms, and restrooms. The front entrance to the sanctuary was renovated to include new steps and larger covered area. New windows were installed in sanctuary along with new light fixtures and fans. Seats and backs of pews were covered. The parking lot was resurfaced with the addition of a new church sign. A ramp was constructed to benefit the handicapped. The most recent improvements include, the air conditioning of the sanctuary and the addition of stained glass windows.

Friendship Baptist Church is proud of its history and thankful for the part it is having in the Lord's work in this community, county, state, nation and world, as it seeks to carry out the command of our Lord, to "Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Sons, and of the Holy Ghost: Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen." - Matt. 28:19-20

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Rt. 1, Box 112, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2753
GRASSY CREEK - None Listed
HEALING SPRINGS - Charles Phipps
Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3041
Clifton Poe
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LANDMARK - Claude Wright
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LIBERTY GROVE - J.C. Trivette
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LITTLE HELTON - Moody Hale
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MIDWAY - Benny Wilcox
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MOUNT OLIVE - John Brown
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NEW RIVER - Duane Pollard
Rt. 1, Box 556, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2593
NORTH BEAVER - Jim Ketner
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OAK HILL - Walter Blevins
Rt. 2, Box 54, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3236
OBIDS - Bob Williams
Rt. 2, Box 594, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2225
OLD FIELDS - Joel Yates
Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4389

ORION - Jim Hartley
P.O. Box 823, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-7441
PEAK VALLEY - None Listed
PHOENIX - Rolin Davis
Rt. 1, Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694 384-3130
PILOT MOUNTAIN - None Listed
PINE SWAMP - None Listed
PLEASANT HOME - Jack Young
Rt. 2, Box 682, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4114
PLEASANT VALLEY - None Listed
PROSPERITY - No Report Received
ROUND KNOB - Walter Smith
P.O. Box 272, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4114
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Joe Weaver
Rt. 2, Box 372, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2769
THREE FORKS - Gary Roten
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TRINITY - Lavern Watson
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WELCOME HOME - Fred McNeill
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APPLE GROVE - Ruth Little, Dortha Slate, Kitty Taylor, Carol Denny, Ann Miller
BALD MOUNTAIN - Dean Lawrence, Paul Poe, Imogene Stevens
BEAVER CREEK - Warren Goodman, Delma Goodman, Sherl Watson
BETHEL - E.A. Phillips, Eula Miller, Mrs. E.A. Phillips, Maggie Howell, Lucy Lyalls, Sue Dillard
BIG FLATTS - Linda Gentry, Maymie Trivette, Russell Phillips, U.G. Elliott, Dare Elliott
BIG LAUREL - Johnie Roten, Imogene Roten, Kenny Johnson, Glyda Roten
BLUE RIDGE - Gene Hare, Helen Spencer, Louise Hepler
BRISTOL - Lillard Turner, Lena Turner, Wayne Greer, Hazel Rhodes, Vergie Proctor
BUFFALO - Edgar Duncan, Delmar Rash, Barry Hamrick
CALVARY - Bill Lambert - Claybern Wagoner, Phillip Clark, Rev. Ray Ham, Grace Ham
CLIFTON - Joe Eastridge, Polly Eastridge, Marvin Jones
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Gary Teague, Zenna Little, Ella Lewis, Hazel Marmie
FRIENDLY GROVE - Dewey Campbell, Paul Hopkins, Leonard Smith, Bower Severt, Charles Severt

FRIENDSHIP - Fred Walters, Foy Bare, Pauline Bare, F.H. Shatley, Kyle Ball
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Jerry Winkler, Larry Elliott, Roger Sheets
GRASSY CREEK - Ella Hudler, Zetta Hamby, Dewey Cox
HEALING SPRINGS - Harry Barrington, Jesse Barrington, Pozy Owen, Marie Owen, Dean Watson, Shirley Watson
LANDMARK - M.J. Blackburn, Ruth Blackburn, Tim Moser, Lela Brooks, Lenna Brooks, Ertie Hurley
LAUREL KNOB - Michael Goodman, Lloyd Penley, Fred Goodman
LIBERTY GROVE - Harvey Presnell, Marshall Perkins, Jerry South, J.C. Trivette
LITTLE HELTON - Roger Porter, Rita Porter, Moody Hale, Vergie Hale
MIDWAY - James Taylor, Hank Saralegui, Tony Saralegui
MISSION HOME - Gwen Elliott, Clemmie Wilcox, Bruce Wilcox, Raymond Elliott, Nelda Jordan, Lynette Brown
MOUNT OLIVE - Joann Hardin, Linda Miller, Verdie Watson, Polly Caparolie, John Brown, Baxter Hardin
NEW RIVER - Mack Gore, Glenna Gore, Connie Roark, Clifford Caudill, Merle Brown, J.B. Roark
NORTH BEAVER - Larry Royal, Donna Royal, India Privette, Scott Privette, Kathy Blevins, Linda Blackburn
OAK HILL - Patsy Blevins, Cathern Blevins, Irene Barker, Betty McMillan, Dale Walton, Burton Miller
OBIDS - Evazell Parsons, Nettie McNeill, Vilena South, Esther South, Ella Miller, Glen South
OLD FIELDS - Mary Poteet, Norma Yates, Worth Phillips, Willa Dean Church, Flavil Phillips
ORION - Clyde Dillard, Virginia Sexton, Jim Hartley, Edith Severt, Theresa Bare
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy, Stella McCoy
PHOENIX - Joe Montague, Hallie Montague, Raymond Riddle, Clare Riddle
PILOT MOUNTAIN - None Listed
PINE SWAMP - Ruby Stovall, Shirley Vannoy, Shelby Hartzog, Verdie Watson, Blanch Oliver, Beth Dancy, Debbie Pipenbrock
PLEASANT HOME - Rachel Young, Stanley Young, Sue Weaver, Arthur Pasley, Jack Young, John Green
PLEASANT VALLEY - Mrs. Walter Day, Junior Jones, Rev. Gwyn Day
ROUND KNOB - Carolyn Miller, Anna Belle Cox, Mary Miller, Allen Miller, Fred Cox, Martha Cox
STURGILLS - Kermit Wilcox, Katherine Sturgill, Wilma Phipps, Edna Sturgill, Caralee Seagraves, Letcher Wilcox, Wade Wilcox
THREE FORKS - Caroll Roten, Gary Roten, Jerry Phillps
TRINITY - Walter Baldwin, Martha Watson, Ronnie Dowell, Paul Coffey, Dottie Coffey

TUCKERDALE - Colonel Blevins, Ralph Davis, Mary Graham, Jack Rash, Lake Brooks, Eddie Roten
WAGONER - Elsie Poe, Gaither Poe, Velma Poe, Earl Poe, Everette Little, Dianne Little
WARRENSVILLE - Jerry Burleson, Ernest Blevins, Marie Blevins, Bobby Osborne, Brenda Osborne
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BIG LAUREL - No Report	
BLUE RIDGE - Charles W. Johnson	
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CLIFTON - Joe Eastridge	
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FARMER MEMORIAL - No Report Received	
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Larry Ballou	
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FRIENDSHIP - Ronnie Sturgill	
Rt. 1, Box 223, Crumpler, NC 28617	982-2148
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Dale Neaves	
Rt. 1, Box 112, Jefferson, NC 28640	982-2753
GRASSY CREEK - Dewey Cox	
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HEALING SPRINGS - Clifton Poe
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LANDMARK - M.J. Blackburn
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Rt. 1, Box 251, Todd, NC 28684 877-3716
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Rt. 1, Box 195, Todd, NC 28684 877-4416
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NORTH BEAVER - Bryce Hurley
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OBIDS - Weldon Bare
Rt. 2, Box 517, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2545
OLD FIELDS - Burl Hartzog
Rt. 2, Box 220, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4270
ORION - Sam Bowers
Rt. 1, Box 38-A, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9501
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy
Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615 385-1565
PHOENIX - Lynn McCoy
Rt. 1, Box 28, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2300
PILOT MOUNTAIN - William F. Vannoy
Rt. 1, Box 44, Todd, NC 28684 704-264-3329
PINE SWAMP - Emery Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 290, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4358
PLEASANT HOME - Stanley Young
Rt. 2, Box 682, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4386
PLEASANT VALLEY - Ward Ballou
Rt. 1, Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3500
PROSPERITY - No Report Received
ROUND KNOB - John Miller, Jr.
Rt. 2, Box 188, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-5588
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received

STURGILLS - Ricky Little
Rt. 2, Box 493, Lansing, NC 28643
THREE FORKS - Bill Farmer
Rt. 1, Box 20, Creston, NC 28615 385-2331
TRINITY - Ronnie Dowell
Rt. 1, Box 59-B, Deep Gap, NC 28618 704-264-7775
TUCKERDALE - Lake Brooks
Rt. 2, Box 456-A, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3320
WAGONER - Russell Roark
Rt. 1, Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - Ernest Blevins
P.O. Box 508, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3701
WELCOME HOME - Fred McNeill
Rt. 1, Box 87, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2242
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Dr. Rudy Curd
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APPLE GROVE - James Howell
Rt. 2, Box 60, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5638
BALD MOUNTAIN - Harold Wyatt
Rt. 1, Box 636, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4689
BAPTIST HOME - No Report Received
BEAVER CREEK - Dennis Watson
Rt. 1, Box 120, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-5400
BETHEL - Brian Grogan
Route 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-1740
BIG FLATTS - Edward Hash
103 Airport Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-3360
BIG LAUREL - Glyda Roten
Rt. 2, Box 140, Creston, NC 28615 385-3151
BLUE RIDGE - James Watson
Rt. 2, Box 324, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5425
BRISTOL - Jerry Severt
Rt. 2, Box 44, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2852
BUFFALO - Douglas Eller
Rt. 1, Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4059
CALVARY - Bobby Lambert
Church Avenue, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3292
CLIFTON - Edd Miller
Rt. 2, Box 40-A, Creston, NC 28615 385-6547

FARMER MEMORIAL - No Report Received
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Dan Bare
P.O. Box 186, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5497
FRIENDLY GROVE - Charles Severt
Rt. 3, Box 457, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9470
FRIENDSHIP - Kyle Ball
Rt. 3, Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9530
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Larry Elliott
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GRASSY CREEK - Dewey Cox
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HEALING SPRINGS - Charles Phipps
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LANDMARK - Glen Davis
Rt. 2, Box 553B, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3388
LAUREL KNOB - Fred Goodman
Rt. 1, Box 288, Todd, NC 28684 877-5453
LIBERTY GROVE - Kermit Miller
Star Route, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-1142
LITTLE HELTON - Kevin Jones
Rt. 1, Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4360
MIDWAY - Dwight Furches
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MISSION HOME - Bill Gentry
Rt. 1, Box 251, Todd, NC 28684 877-3716
MOUNT OLIVE - David Surber
Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-3352
NEW RIVER - Duane Pollard
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NORTH BEAVER - Bob Neaves
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OAK HILL - Walter Blevins
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OBIDS - Glen South
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2536
OLD FIELDS - John Yates
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ORION - Russell Vannoy
Rt. 3, Box 711, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7226
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Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615 385-1565
PHOENIX - J.C. Ashley
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PLEASANT HOME - Wayne Jones
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PLEASANT VALLEY - Ward Ballou
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PROSPERITY - No Report Received
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Box 272, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4114
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Ricky Little
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CLIFTON - Carol Jones
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Rt. 1, Box 149, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3949
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LIBERTY GROVE - J.C. Trivette
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LITTLE HELTON - Kay Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3173
MIDWAY - Don Goodman
Rt. 2, Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9426
MISSION HOME - Genevieve Grogan
Rt. 1, Box 255, Todd, NC 28684 877-3062
MOUNT OLIVE - JoAnn Hardin
Rt. 1, Box 87, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4469
NEW RIVER - Jaylene Warden
Rt. 1, Box 338, Piney Creek, Nc 28663 372-4747
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OBIDS - Nettie McNeill
Rt. 2, Box 376, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2748
OLD FIELDS - Phyllis Yates
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PILOT MOUNTAIN - John Moulds
Rt. 1, Box 788, Boone, NC 28607 704-262-5853
PINE SWAMP - Shelba Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 290, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4358
PLEASANT HOME - Sharon Parsons
Rt. 1, Box 306, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3883
PLEASANT VALLEY - Brenda Waddell
Rt. 1, Box 299-B, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3295
PROSPERITY - No Report Received
ROUND KNOB - Martha Cox
Rt. 2, Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4757
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Edward Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - Carrol Roten
Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615 385-4931
TRINITY - Jesse Baldwin
Rt. 1, Box 138, Todd, NC 28684 877-3005
TUCKERDALE - Jeanette Davis
Rt. 1, Box 317-A, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3427
WAGONER - Elsie Poe
Rt. 1, Box 105, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-2467
WARRENSVILLE - Geraldine Reed
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BAPTIST HOME - No Report Received
BEAVER CREEK - Wayne Patrick
Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4146

BETHEL - Mrs. E.A. Phillips
Rt. 2, Box 155, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-1451
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BIG LAUREL - Johnie Roten
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BLUE RIDGE - Louse Hepler
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BRISTOL - Mary Lambert
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BUFFALO - Kim Furches
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CALVARY - Bobby Lambert
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CLIFTON - Gale Jones
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FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mrs. Jan Bare
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FRIENDLY GROVE - Charles King
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FRIENDSHIP - Ruby Little
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GLENDALE SPRINGS - Madge Hudler
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GRASSY CREEK - Jack McGrady
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LIBERTY GROVE - Mary South
P.O. Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4547
LITTLE HELTON - Kay Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3173
MIDWAY - Barbara Hodges
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3366
MISSION HOME - Raymond Brown
Rt. 1, Box 205, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4679
MOUNT OLIVE - Tony Caparolie
Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-5256
NEW RIVER - Jaylene Warden
Rt. 1, Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663 372-4747

NORTH BEAVER - Elaine Sheets
Rt. 2, Box 796, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9004
OAK HILL - Burton Miller
Rt. 2, Box 15, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3385
OBIDS - Margaret Bare
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-3147
OLD FIELDS - Nelle Hayes
Rt. 3, Box 732, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5300
ORION - Ralph Jones
Rt. 1, Box 500, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2882
PEAK VALLEY - Mrs. Weldon Shepherd
Rt. 1, Box 289, Creston, NC 28615 385-7733
PHOENIX - Bruce Eller
Rt. 1, Box 77, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-2284
PILOT MOUNTAIN - Mary A. Greene
Rt. 1, Box 777, Boone, NC 28607 704-264-8492
PINE SWAMP - Shelby Harzog
Rt. 2, Box 204, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4150
PLEASANT HOME - Sue Weaver
Rt. 1, Box 290, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3550
PLEASANT VALLEY - Brenda Waddell
Rt. 1, Box 299-B, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3295
PROSPERITY - No Report Received
ROUND KNOB - Annie Severt
Rt. 2, Box 160, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-5476
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Katherine Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - Carrol Roten
Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615 385-4931
TRINITY - Leslie Gentry
Rt. 1, Box 115, Deep Gap, NC 28618 704-264-2117
TUCKERDALE - Ronda Powers
Rt. 2, Box 716, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2612
WAGONER - Irma Liddle
Rt. 1, Box 194, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2623
WARRENSVILLE - Harry Ashley
Rt. 2, Box 217, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3131
WELCOME HOME - Helen Williams
Rt. 3, Box 35, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2161
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Jennifer Dollar
P.O. Box 173, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3324

DIRECTORY OF MUSIC DIRECTORS

APPLE GROVE - None Listed
BALD MOUNTAIN - Carroll Elliott
Rt. 1, Box 248, Todd, NC 28684 877-4839
BAPTIST HOME - No Report Received
BEAVER CREEK - Sandy Patrick
Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4146
BETHEL - Earl McNeill
P.O. Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7961
BIG FLATTS - Russell Phillips
Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-3457
BIG LAUREL - Johnie Roten
Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615 385-1448
BLUE RIDGE - Patricia Hayworth
Rt. 2, Box 320, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4831
BRISTOL - Vaughn Baldwin
32 Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2269
BUFFALO - Charles Harless
Rt. 1, Box 270, West Jefferson, NC 28694 384-3192
CALVARY - Claybern Wagoner
Rt. 1, Bare Street, West Jefferson, NC 28694
CLIFTON - Peggy Powers
Rt. 1, Box 66A, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9073
FARMER MEMORIAL - No Report Received
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Junior Greer
Rt. 3, Box 688, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7568
FRIENDLY GROVE - Dewey Campbell
P.O. Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5951
FRIENDSHIP - Linda Ball
Rt. 3, Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9530
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Dale Neaves
Rt. 1, Box 112, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2753
GRASSY CREEK - Nancy Phipps
Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363 703-579-7564
HEALING SPRINGS - Shannon Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3650
LANDMARK - R.L. Blevins
P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2025
LAUREL KNOB - Freda Goodman
Star Route, Box 633, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-5172
LIBERTY GROVE - William Scott
Rt. 1, Box 48, Todd, NC 28684 877-4579
LITTLE HELTON - Wilford Porter
Rt. 1, Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-2348

MIDWAY - Don Goodman
Rt, 2, Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9426
MISSION HOME - Jim Gentry
P.O. Box 1054, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2994
MOUNT OLIVE - Tony Caparolie
Rt. 1, Box 185, Todd, NC 28684 877-5256
NEW RIVER - A.T. Arnold
Rt. 1, Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3538
NORTH BEAVER - Scott Privette
Rt. 2, Box 36, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2352
OAK HILL - Junior Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3387
OBIDS - Vilena South
Rt. 2, Box 591, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2536
OLD FIELDS - Dianne Brown
Rt. 2, Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2627
ORION - Reba Osborn
P.O. Box 365, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-1062
PEAK VALLEY - None Listed
PHOENIX - Bob Calhoun
Rt. 3, Box 26B, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3004
PILOT MOUNTAIN - None Listed
PINE SWAMP - None Listed
PLEASANT HOME - Beatrice Young
Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-2257
PLEASANT VALLEY - Ward Ballou
Rt. 2, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3500
PROSPERITY - No Report Received
ROUND KNOB - Anna Belle Cox
Rt. 2, Box 154, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4681
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Edward Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - None Listed
TRINITY - Jack Watson
P.O. Box 93, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4533
TUCKERDALE - Edison Harless
Rt. 2, Box 644, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2368
WAGONER - Russell Roark
Rt. 1, Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - None Listed
WELCOME HOME - Claude Neaves
1450 N. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-3248
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - G. Allen Chester
P.O. Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5141

DIRECTORY OF BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS

CLIFTON - John Richardson
Rt. 2, Box 280, Creston, NC 28615 385-4251
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Larry Ballou
207 Frank Witherspoon Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2908
FRIENDSHIP - Michael Little
Rt. 1, Box 26, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-9584
MIDWAY - Sterling Copeland
Rt. 2, Box 681, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5248
OLD FIELDS - William Fairchild
Rt. 2, Box 252, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4987
PHOENIX - Howard Turnmire
Rt. 1, Box 32A, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-2140
TRINITY - Walter Baldwin
Rt. 1, Box 138, Todd, NC 28684 877-3005
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - John Smith
P.O. Box 1215, Boone, NC 28607 704-264-0494

DIRECTORY OF CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS

FRIENDSHIP - Bob Marsh
Rt. 1, Box 602, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2363
LIBERTY GROVE - Mrs. Mary South
P.O. Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4547
MIDWAY - Mrs. Geraldine Harless
Rt. 3, Box 349, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-4432
MISSION HOME - Wayne Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 173, Todd, NC 28684 877-4214
OLD FIELDS - James Brooks
Rt. 1, Box 838, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9150
ORION - Mrs. Ruth Calhoun
P.O. Box 147, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-7598
PHOENIX - Rolin Davis
Rt. 1, Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694 384-3130
TRINITY - Don Norman
Rt. 1, Box 735, Deep Gap, NC 28618 704-264-7829
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Ken Morris
P.O. Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5131

DIRECTORY OF WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION DIRECTORS

BALD MOUNTAIN - Mrs. Paulette Poe	
Rt. 1, Box 624, West Jefferson, NC 28694	877-5731
BUFFALO - Mrs. Joann Swift	
Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-7852
CALVARY - Mrs. Pat Miller	
Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-9059
CLIFTON - Mrs. Debbie Jones	
Rt. 1, Box 238, Warrensville, NC 28693	385-6120
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mrs. Kathy Bower	
417 Martin St., Jefferson, NC 28640	246-7868
FRIENDLY GROVE - Mrs. Christine Jordan	
Rt. 3, Box 199, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-7244
FRIENDSHIP - Mrs. Patsy Miller	
235 Glenn Bare Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	246-7692
HEALING SPRINGS - Mrs. Shirley Watson	
Rt. 1, Box 77, Fleetwood, NC 28626	877-4554
LIBERTY GROVE - Mrs. Lorna Scott	
Rt. 1, Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	877-4579
MIDWAY - Mrs. Lois Jones	
Rt. 3, Box 742, West Jefferson, NC 28694	246-9261
MISSION HOME - Mrs. Nelda Jordan	
Rt. 1, Box 150, Todd, NC 28684	877-4406
NEW RIVER - Mrs. Jean Eggers	
Rt. 1, Box 41, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	384-3551
NORTH BEAVER - Mrs. Linda Blackburn	
Rt. 1, Box 597, Crumpler, NC 28617	982-2373
OLD FIELDS - Mrs. Norma Yates	
Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	877-4389
ORION - Mrs. Clyde Dillard	
Rt. 1, Box 57, Jefferson, NC 28640	246-9364
PHOENIX - Mrs. Cecile Eldreth	
P.O. Box 26, Warrensville, NC 28693	384-3853
TRINITY - Mrs. Martha Watson	
Rt. 1, Box 85, Fleetwood, NC 28626	877-4603
WAGONER - Ms. Dianne Sheets	
Rt. 1, Box 180, Jefferson, NC 28640	982-2320
WARRENSVILLE - Mrs. Brenda Osborne	
Rt. 3, Box 46, Lansing, NC 28643	384-3292
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Mrs. Cathy Yates	
P.O. Box 125, Jefferson, NC 28640	246-9768

ANNUAL REPRESENTATIVES OF INSTITUTIONS AND PROGRAMS

(Appointed By Moderator)

American Bible Society.....Charlie McCoy
Baptist Children's Homes.....Joann Goodman
Baptist Retirement Homes.....John F. Goodman
Baptist Hospital, Inc.....Jerry Burleson
Biblical Recorder.....Linda Eller
Christian Education.....Stewart Scott
Christian Action League.....Delmas Parker
Cooperative Program.....Charles Edwards
Pastor's Salary & Retirement.....John Leek
Temperance & Public Morals.....Rick Gardner
Southern Baptist Annuity.....Ervel Jones
Foreign Missions.....Dianne Ballou
Home Missions.....Lois Jones
State Missions.....Wayne Jones

COMMITTEES APPOINTED ANNUALLY BY MODERATOR

(Resolutions Committee)

(Chm.)Ken Morris.....-246-5141
Cindy Davis.....384-3673
Joe R. Blevins.....982-2360

(Place/Preacher Committee)

(Chm.) Garrett Mahaffey.....877-4239
Jerry South.....982-2578
Thomas Elliott.....877-4340

(Nominating Committee)

(Chm.) Billy J. Blevins.....982-3599
Dean Watson.....877-4554
Mary Miller.....246-2134
Dianne Miller.....246-3204
Wayne Jones.....982-3730

(Migrant Ministries Committee)

(Chm.) Johnny Blevins.....982-9525
Joe Riley Blevins.....982-2630
Tim Moser.....384-4328
David Testerman.....877-4570

ORGANIZATION OFFICERS

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSIST TEAM

Director..... Bernard Bare (246-5054)
Adult..... Darrell Campbell (246-9975)
Youth..... Lois Jones (246-9261)
Children (Older 10-11 yrs.).....Jeanna Furches (246-3710)
Children (Middle 8-9 yrs.)..... Ken Morris (246-5131)
Children (Younger 6-7 yrs.)..... Sandra Burchette (877-4110)
Preschool (Middle 2-3 yrs.).....Nancy Watson (877-4782)
Preschool (Older 4-5 yrs.)..... Ann Vance (877-1769)

CHURCH TRAINING

Director..... Gwen Elliott (246-5321)
Adult..... Freda Goodman (877-5172)
Youth..... Nancy Watson (877-4782)
Children.....Stanley Lindsey (246-2219)
Preschool..... Bob Marsh (982-2363)
Children's Bible Drill/
Youth Speakers Tournament.....Linda Blackburn (982-2373)

BROTHERHOOD

President.....Larry Ballou (982-2908)
Mission Study Chairman.....Lynn McCoy (982-2300)
RA Leader.....J.E. Blevins (982-2824)

MUSIC

Dir. of Music & Training..... Dewey Campbell (246-5951)
Pianist..... Irene Campbell (246-5951)
Organist.....Maureen Blackburn (246-7067)

ASSOCIATIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES

BUDGET & FINANCE

(Chm.) Garner Blevins - 246-9637, Larry Elliott - 982-9235, Paul Coffey - 704-264-0638, Deanna Sabastian - 982-3839, Mary South - 877-4547.

ASSN. ORDINATION COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Gary Teague - 246-9513, Johnny Goodman - 982-3524, Harvey Presnell - 704-973-4619, Bill Gentry - 877-3716, Ralph Jones - 982-2882.

COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES

(Chm.) Johnny Blevins - 982-9525, Thomas Shatley - 982-3762, Wayne Jones - 877-4360, Ricky Brown - 877-4296, Ernie Lambert - 246-9341, Johnny Roten - 385-1448.

ASSN. PROPERTIES COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Jim Vannoy - 982-2150, Ernest Blevins - 246-3701, Larry Greer - 246-2703.

PROGRAM COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Wayne Patrick - 877-4146, Joe Montague - 384-3850, Nancy Phipps - 703-579-7564, Marie Jordan - 877-3108, Lloyd Day - 246-7384

COMM. ON EVANGELISM

(Chm.) Jimmy Warden - 1-372-4747, John Leek - 982-3062, J.C. Trivette - 877-4067, Fred Goodman - 877-5453, Jerry Phillips - 385-6349.

CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS

(Chm.) Charles Caudill - 246-7498, Jack Pugh - 877-3769, John Yates - 877-5179, Dean Watson - 877-4554, Jack Hardin - 246-9702

ASSOCIATIONAL TRUSTEES

(Chm.) Jim Vannoy - 982-2150, Edd Harless - 384-2368, Lloyd Witherspoon - 246-9203, Ralph Davis - 384-3673, Earl Sheets, Sr. - 246-9963.

ASSN. MUSIC COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Dewey Campbell - 246-5951, Claude Neaves - 982-3248, Irene Campbell - 246-5951, Maureen Blackburn - 246-7067.

SEMINARY EXTENSION

(Chm.) Jack Miller - 246-5361, Zenith Roten - 385-1448, Anna Belle Cox - 877-4681, Tim Moser - 384-4328, Bill Ballou - 246-5631.

BAPTIST CAMP

3 Year Term: Rev. Larry Powers - 246-9073, Mrs. Brenda Phipps - 982-3041, Mr. Tim Church 982-9205.

2 Yr. Term: Rev. Ray Ham - 877-4568, Miss Willa Dean Church - 982-3041, Miss Kim Caparolie - 877-5256.

1 Yr. Term: Rev. David Testerman - 877-4570, Mrs. Joy McClure - 246-9769, Mrs. Joann Swift - 246-7852.

ASSOCIATIONAL YOUTH COUNCIL

(Chm.) Jimmy Rash - 384-3240/384-4374, Ken Gardner - 246-2940, Terry Hartzog - 877-4222, Willa Dean Church - 877-5180, Barbara Hodges - 246-3366, Cindy Davis - 384-3673, Butch McNeill - 246-5811, Johnny Blevins - 982-9525, Ervel Jones - 246-4611.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1989-1990

	1988-89	1989-90	
EDUCATION & PROMOTION:			
1. Sunday School	225.00	800.00	+ 575.00
2. Church Training	175.00	175.00	
3. Brotherhood	100.00	100.00	
4. WMU	75.00	75.00	
5. Church Music	50.00	50.00	
6. Stewardship Promotion	50.00	50.00	
7. Vacation Bible School	250.00	250.00	
8. Preacher's Bible Conference	250.00	250.00	
9. Evangelism	500.00	650.00	+ 150.00
10. Key Leadership Conference	150.00	150.00	
11. Associational Youth Program	300.00	500.00	+ 200.00
Sub-Total	$2,125.00	$3,050.00	
ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE:			
1. Office Equipment	1,100.00	1,100.00	
2. Printing & Supplies	1,500.00	1,800.00	+ 300.00
3. Postage	1,400.00	1,400.00	
4. Associational Calendar	400.00	400.00	
5. Upkeep and Cleaning	200.00	200.00	
Sub-Total	$4,600.00	$4,900.00	
SALARIES & ALLOWANCES:			
1. Director of Missions	13,200.00	13,200.00	
2. Retirement	4,050.00	4,050.00	
3. Medical and Life Insurance	3,000.00	5,000.00	+2,000.00
4. Car Allowance	1,200.00	1,200.00	
5. Social Security Allowance	2,500.00	3,200.00	+ 700.00
6. Conventions & Conferences	1,500.00	1,500.00	
7. Secretarial Help	4,420.00	4,420.00	
8. Clerk/Treasurer	1,200.00	1,200.00	
9. Employees S.S. Tax (office Sec.)	332.00	350.00	+ 18.00
(Assn. Clerk).	90.53	100.00	
Sub-Total	$3,350.00	$34,220.0	

BUILDING & EQUIPMENT:			
1. Utilities	2,500.00	2,500.00	
2. Insurance (Assn. Pars.)	350.00	400.00	+ 50.00
3. Building Repair	500.00	500.00	
Sub-Total	$3,350.00	$3,400.00	
MISCELLANEOUS:			
1. Mission Projects	100.00	100.00	
2. Miscellaneous	400.00	400.00	
Sub-Total	$500.00	$500.00	
Grand Total	$42,067.53	$46,070.00	

CONTRIBUTIONS TO CAMP BY CHURCHES OF THE ASSOCATION - July 1, 1988 - June 30, 1989

BALD MOUNTAIN	240.00
BIG FLATTS	100.00
BIG LAUREL	60.00
BRISTOL	100.00
BUFFALO	50.00
CALVARY	35.00
CLIFTON	55.00
FRIENDLY GROVE	300.00
FRIENDSHIP	360.00
GRASSY CREEK	180.00
HEALING SPRINGS	60.00
LAUREL KNOB	50.00
LIBERTY GROVE	240.00
MISSION HOME	200.00
MOUNT OLIVE	50.00
NEW RIVER	420.00
NORTH BEAVER	214.00
OBIDS	60.00
OLD FIELDS	100.00
ORION	175.00
PHOENIX	100.00
PLEASANT HOME	50.00
ROUND KNOB	30.00
SOUTH BEAVER	100.00

THREE FORKS.....110.00
TRINITY.....100.00
TUCKERDALE.....144.00
WAGONER.....120.00
W.J. FIRST.....600.00
TOTAL.....4,403.72

GIFTS FROM INDIVIDUALS, MEMORIALS, SISTER CHURCHES AND ASSOCIATIONS:

Toyota Of Boone (Mr. Norman Cheek)
Ceiling Fans and Installation.....579.81
Lenneys Grove Baptist Church.....124.00
Stone Mountain Baptist Association.....92.19
Steve and Mabel Miller.....100.00
Mr. & Mrs. M.G. Hall, Jr.....100.00
Baptist Home Baptist Church.....50.00
Dale Costner (Pleasant Hill Youth).....76.00
Mr. & Mrs. Luther Anderson, Jr.....200.00
Cooks Memorial Church.....55.00

$1,377.00

TREASURER'S REPORT
1988-89

Balance on hand 30 June 1988.....$ 1,052.34
Received from churches.....40,195.77
Received from convention.....1,488.79
Received for Brazil Trip.....1,400.00
Received for Minute Books.....1,874.45
Received for addition to DOM retirement.....2,845.50
Miscellaneous receipts.....395.35
TOTAL ON HAND AND RECEIVED.....$49,252.20

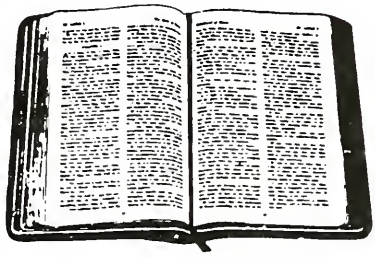
DISBURSEMENTS:

Sunday School	296.25
Brotherhood	23.84
Vacation Bible School	156.42
Evangelism	637.76
Key Leadership Conference	100.00
Associational Youth	300.00
Office equipment (includes maint. agreement)	818.70
Printing and Supplies	1,759.28
Postage	1,121.70
Associational calendars	162.05
Upkeep and cleaing supplies	204.05
Director of Missions, salary	13,454.05
Annuity Board, retirement	4,030.08
Addition to retirement	2,845.50
Medical and Life Insurance	4,114.00
Automobile allowance	1,219.00
Social Security allowance	2,500.00
Conventions and conferences	1,531.70
Secretarial help	4,024.07
Clerk/Treasurer	1,200.00
Employee Social Security taxes	403.02
Utilities	2,548.24
Insurance on parsonage	365.00
Parsonage repair and maintenance	384.26
Minute books	2,123.42
State Missions supper	396.00
Brazil trip expenses	1,519.39
Miscellaneous	458.54
TOTAL AMOUNT PAID OUT	48,696.32
BALANCE ON HAND 30 JUNE 1989	555.88

Addendum I - ARTICLES OF FAITH
(The Baptist State Faith and Message as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963)

THE BAPTIST FAITH and MESSAGE

A statement adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention



Baptist are a people who profess a living faith. This faith is rooted and grounded in Jesus Christ who is "the same yesterday and today and forever." Therefore, the sole authority for faith and practice among Baptists is Jesus Christ whose will is revealed in the Holy Scriptures.

A living faith must experience a growing understanding of truth and must be continually interpreted and related to the needs of each new generation. Throughout their history Baptist bodies' both large and small, have issued statements of faith which comprise a consensus of their beliefs. Such statements have never been regarded as complete, infallible statements of faith, nor as official creeds carrying mandatory authority. Thus this generation of Southern Baptists is in historic succession of intent and purpose as it endeavors to state for its time and theological climate those articles of the Christian faith which are most surely held among us.

Baptists emphasize the soul's competency before God, freedom in religion, and the priesthood of the believer. However, this emphasis should not be interpreted to mean that there is an absence of certain definite doctrines that Baptists believe, cherish, and with which they have been and are now closely identified.

It is the purpose of this statement of faith and message to set forth certain teachings which we believe.

The Scriptures

The Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is the record of God's revelation of Himself to many. It is a perfect treasure of divine instruction. It has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter.

Ex. 24:4; Deut. 4:1-2; 17:19; Josh. 8:34; Psalm 19:7-10; 119:11; 89; 105; 140; It reveals the principles by which God judges us; and therefore is, and will remain to the end of the world, the true center of Christian union, and the supreme standard by which all human conduct, creeds, and religious opinions should be tried. The criterion by which the Bible is to be interpreted is Jesus Christ.

Isa. 34:16; 40:8; Jer. 15:16; 36; Matt. 5:17-18; 22-29; Luke 21;33; 44-46; John 5:39; 16:13-15; 17:17 Acts 2:16 ff.; 17:11; Rom. 15:4 16:25-26; 2Tim. 3:15-17; Heb. 1:1-2; 4:12; 1 Peter 1:25; 2 Peter 1:19-21

God

There is one and only one living and true God. He is an intelligent, spiritual, and personal Being, the Creator, Redeemer, Preserver, and Ruler of the universe. God is infinite in holiness and all other perfections. To Him we owe the highest love, reverence, and obedience. The eternal God reveals Himself to us a Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, with distinct personal attributes, but without division of nature, essence, or being.

A. God the Father

God as Father reigns with providential care over His universe, His creatures and the flow of the stream of human history according to the purpose of His grace. He is all powerful, all loving, and all wise. God is Father in truth to those who become children of God through faith in Jesus Christ. He is fatherly in His attitude toward all men.

Gen. 1:1; 2:7; Ex. 3:14; 6:2-3; 15:11 ff.; 20:1 ff.; Lev. 22:2; Deut. 6:4; 32:6; 1 Chron. 29:10; Psalm 19:1-3; Isa. 43:3, 15;64:8 Jer. 10:10;, 17:13; Matt. 6:9 ff.; 7:11; 23:9; 28:19; Mark 1:9-11; John 4:24; 5:26; 14:6-13; 17:1-8; Acts 1:7; Rom. 8:14-15; 1 Cor. 8:6; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 4:6; Col. 1:15; 1 Tim. 1:17; Heb. 11:6; 12:9; 1 Peter 1:17; 1 John 5:7

B. God the Son

Christ is the eternal Son of God. In His incarnation as Jesus Christ he was conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. Jesus perfectly revealed and did the will of God, taking upon Himself the demands and necessities of human nature and identifying Himself completely with mankind yet without sin. He honored the divine law by His personal obedience, and in His death on the cross He made provision for the redemption of men from sin. He was raised from the dead with a glorified body and appeared to His disciples as the person who was with them before His crucifixion. He ascended into Heaven and is now exalted at the right hand of God where He is the One Mediator, partaking of the nature of God and of man, and in whose Person is effected the reconciliation between God and man. He will return in power and glory to judge the world and to consummmate His redemptive mission. He now dwells in all believers as the living and ever present Lord.

Gen. 18:1 ff.; Psalm 2:7 ff.; 110:1 ff.; Isa. 7:14; 53; Matt. 1:18-23; 3:17; 8:29; 11:27; 14:33; 16:16; 27; 17:5; 27; 28:1-6; 19; Mark 1:1; 3:11; Luke 1:35; 4:41; 22:70; 24:46; John 1:1-18; 29; 10:30; 38; 11:25-27; 12:44-50; 14:7-11; 16:15-16; 28; 17:1-5; 21-22; 20:1-20; 28; Acts 1:9; 2:22-24; 7:55-56; 9:4-5; 20; Rom. 1:3-4; 3:23-26; 5:6-21; 8:1-3; 34; 10-4; 1 Cor. 1:30; 2:2; 8:6; 15:1-8; 24-28; 2 Cor. 5:19-21; Gal. 4:4-5; Eph. 1:20; 3:11; 4:7-10; Phil. 2: 5-11; Col. 1: 13-22; 2:9; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 1 Tim. 2:5-6; 3:16; Titus 2:13-14; Heb. 1:1-3; 4:14-15; 7:14-28; 9:12-15; 24:28; 12:2; 13:8; 1 Peter 2:21-25; 3:22; 1 John 1:7-9; 3:2; 4:14-15; 5:9; 2 John 7-9; Rev. 1: 13-16; 5:9-14; 12:10-11; 13:8; 19:16

C. God the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of God. He inspired holy men of old to write the scriptures. Through illumination He enables me to understand truth. He exalts Christ. He convicts of sin, of righteousness and of judgement. He calls men to the Saviour, and effects regeneration. He cultivates Christian characters, comforts believers, and bestows the spiritual gifts by which they serve God through His church. He seals the believers unto the day of final redemption. His presence in the Christian is the assurance of God to bring the believers into the fulness of the stature of Christ. He enlightens and empowers the believer and the church in worship, evangelism, and service.

Gen. 1:2; Judg. 14:6; Job 26:13; Psalm 51:11; 139; 7 ff.; Isa. 61:1-3; Joel 2: 28-32; Matt. 1:18; 3:16; 4:1; 12:28-32; 28:19; Mark 1:10; 12; Luke 1:35; 4:1; 18-19; 11:13; 12:12; 24-49; John 4:24; 14: 16-17; 26; 15:26; 16:7-14; Acts 1:8; 2: 1-4; 38; 4:31; 5:3; 6:3; 7:55; 8:17; 39; 10:44; 13:2; 15:28; 16:6; 19:1-6; Rom. 8:9-11; 14-16; 26-27; 1 Cor. 2:10-14; 3:16; 12:3-11; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 1:13-14; 4:30; 5:18; 1 Thes. 5:19; 1 Tim. 3:16; 4:1; 2 Tim. 1:14; 3:16; Heb. 9:8; 14:2; Peter 1-21; 1 John 4:13; 5:6-7; Rev. 1:10; 22:17

Men

Man was created by the special act of God, in his own image, and is the crowning work of His creation. In the beginning man was innocent of sin and was endowed by His Creator with freedom of choice. By his free choice man sinned against God and brought sin into the human race. Through the temptation of Satan man trangressed the command of God, and fell from his original innocence; whereby his posterity inherit a nature and an environmental inclined toward sin, and as soon as they are capable of moral action become transgressors and are under condemnation. Only the grace of God can bring man into His holy fellowship and enable man to fulfill the creative purpose of God. The sacredness of human personality is evident in that God created man in His own image, and in that Christ died for man; therefore every man possesses dignity and is worthy of respect and Christian love.

Gen. 1:26-30; 2:5; 7; 18-22; 3; 9-6; Psalm 1; 8:3-6; 32:1-5; 51:5; Isa. 6:5; Jer. 17:5; Matt. 16:26; Acts 17:26-31; Rom. 1:19,32; 3:10-18; 23; 5; 6; 12; 19; 6:6; 7:14-25; 8:14-18; 1 Cor. 1:21-31; 15:19; 21-22; Eph. 2:1-22; 3:9-11

Salvation

Salvation involves the redemption of the whole man, and is offered freely to all who accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, who by His own blood obtained eternal redemption for the believer. In its broadest sense salvation includes regeneration, sanctification, and glorification.

A. Regeneration, or the new birth, is a work of God's grace whereby believers become new creatures in Christ Jesus. It is a change of heart wrought by the Holy Spirit through conviction of sin, to which the sinner responds in repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Repentance and faith are inseparable experiences of grace. Repentance is a genuine turning from sin toward God. Faith is the acceptance of Jesus Christ and commitment of the entire personality to Him as Lord and Saviour. Justification is God's gracious and full acquittal upon principles of His righteousness of all sinners who repent and believe in Christ. Justification brings the believer into a relationship of peace and favor with God.

B. Sanctification is the experience, beginning in regeneration, by which the believer is set apart to God's purposes, and is enabled to progress toward moral and spiritual perfection through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit dwelling in him. Growth in grace should continue throughout the regenerate person's life.

C. Glorification is the culmination of salvation and is the final blessed and abiding state of the redeemed.

Gen. 3:15; Ex. 3:14-17; 6:2-8; Matt. 1:21; 4:17; 16:21-26; 27:22 to 28; 6; Luke 1:68-69; 2:28-32; John 1:11-14; 29; 3:3-21; 36; 5;24; 10:9; 28-29; 15:1-16; 17:17; Acts 2:21; 4:12; 15:11; 16:30-31; 17:30-31; 20:32; Rom. 1:16-18; 2:4; 3:23-25; 4:3 ff.; 5:8-10; 6:1-23; 8:1-18; 29-39; 10:9-10; 13:11-14; 1 Cor. 1:18; 30; 6: 19-20; 15:10; 2 Cor. 5:17-20; Gal. 2:20; 3:13, 5:22-25; 6:15; Eph. 1:7; 2:8-22; 4:11-16; Phil. 2:12-13; Col. 1:9-22; 3:1 ff.; 1 Thes. 5:23-24; 2 Tim. 1:12; Titus 2:11-14; Heb. 2:1-3; 5:8-9; 9:24-28; 11:1-12; 8; 14; James 2:14-16; 1 Peter 1:2-23; 1 John 1:6 to 2:11; Rev. 3:20; 21:1 to 22:5

God's Purpose and Grace

Election is the gracious purpose of God, according to which He regenerates, sanctifies, and glorifies sinners. It is consistent with the free agency of man, and comprehends all the means in connection with the end. It is a glorious display of God's sovereign goodness, and is infinitely wise, holy, and unchangeable. It excludes boasting and promotes humility.

All true believers endure to the end. Those whom God has accepted in Christ, and sanctified by His Spirit, will never fall away from the state of grace, but shall persevere to the end. Believers may fall into sin through neglect and temptation, whereby they grieve the Spirit, impair their graces and comforts, bring reproach on the cause of Christ, and temporal judgements on themselves, yet they shall be kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-8; Sam. 8:4-7; 19-22; Isa. 5:1-7; Jer. 31:31 ff.; Matt. 16:18-19; 21:28-45; 24:22; 31; 25:34; Luke 1:68-79; 2:29-32; 19:41-44; 24:44-48; John 1:12-14; 3:16; 5:24; 6:44-45; 65; 10:27-29; 15; 16; 17:6; 12:17-18; Acts 20:32; Rom. 5:9-10; 8:28-39; 10:12-15;

11:5-7; 26-36; 1 Cor. 1:1-2; 15:24-28; Eph. 1:4-23; 2:1-10; 3:1-11; Col. 1:12-14; 2 Thes. 2:13-14; 2 Tim. 1:12; 2:10; 19; Heb. 11:39; 12:2; 1 Peter 2-5; 13; 2:4-10; 1 John 1:7-9; 2:19; 3:2

The Church

A New Testament church of the Lord Jesus Christ is a local body of baptized believers who are associated by covenant in the faith and fellowship of the gospel, observing the two ordinances of Christ, committed to His teachings, exercising the gifts, rights, and privileges invested in them by His Word, and seeking to extend the gospel to the ends of the earth.

This church is an autonomous body, operating through democratic processes under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. In such a congregation members are equally responsible. Its Scriptural officers are pastors and deacons.

The New Testament speaks also of the church as the body of Christ which includes all of the redeemed of all ages.

Matt. 16:15-19; 18:15-20; Acts 2:41-42; 47; 5:11-14; 6:3-6; 13:1-3; 14:23; 27; 15:1-30; 16:5 20:28; Rom. 1:7; 1 Cor. 1:2; 3:16; 5:4-5; 7:17; 9:13-14; 12; Eph. 1:22-23; 2:19-22; 3:8-11; 21; 5:22-32; Phil. 1:1; Col. 1:18; 1 Tim. 3:1-15; 4:14; 1 Peter 5:1-4; Rev. 2-3; 21:2-3

Baptism and the Lord's Supper

Christian baptism in the immersion of a believer in water in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. It is an act of obedience symbolizing the believer's faith in a crucified, buried, and risen Saviour, the believer's death to sin, the burial of the old life, and in the resurrection to walk in newness of life in Christ Jesus. It is a testimony to his faith in the final resurrection of the dead. Being a church ordinance, it is prerequisite to the privileges of church membership and to the Lord's Supper.

The Lord's Supper is a symbolic act of obedience whereby members of the church, through partaking of the bread and the fruit of the vine, memorialize the death of the Redeemer and anticipate His second coming.

Matt. 3:13-17; 26:26-30; 28:19-20; Mark 1:9-11; 14:22-26; Luke 3:21-22; 22:19-20; John 3:23; Acts 2:41-42; 8:35-39; 16:30-33; Acts 20:7; Rom. 6:3-5; 1 Cor. 10:16; 21; 11:23-29; Col. 2:12

The Lord's Day

The first day of the week is the Lord's Day. It is a Christian institution for regular observance. It commemorates the resurrection of Christ from the dead and should be employed in exercises of worship and spiritual devotion, both public and private, and by refraining from worldy amusements, and resting from secular employments, work of necessity and mercy only being excepted.

Ex. 20:8-11; Matt. 12:1-12; 28:1 ff.; Mark 2:27-28; 16:1-7;Luke 24:1-3; 33-36; John 4:21-24; 20:1; 19-28; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:1-2, Col. 2:16; 3:16; Rev. 1:10

The Kingdom

The Kingdom of God includes both His general sovereignty over the universe and His particular kinship over men who willfully acknowledge Him as King. Particularly the Kingdom is the realm of salvation into which men enter by trustful, childlike, commitment to Jesus Christ. Christians ought to pray and to labor that the Kingdom may come and God's will be done on earth. The full consummation of the Kingdom awaits the return of Jesus Christ and the end of this age.

Gen. 1:1; Isa. 9:6-7; Jer. 23;5-6; Matt. 3:2; 4:8-10; 23; 12:25-28; 13:1-52; 25:31-46; 26:29; Mark 1:14-15; 9-1; Luke 4:43; 8:1; 9:2; 12:31-32; 17:20-21; 23:42; John 3:3; 18-36; Acts 1:6-7; 17:22-31; Rom. 5:17; 8:19; 1 Cor. 15:24-28; Col. 1:13; Heb. 11:10 16; 12:28; 1 Peter 2:4-10; 4:13; Rev. 1:6; 9; 5:10; 11:15; 21-22

Last Things

God, in His own time and in His own way, will bring the world to its appropriate end. According to His promise, Jesus Christ will return personally and visibly in glory to the earth; the dead will be raised; and Christ will judge all men in righteousness. The unrighteous will be consigned to Hell, the place of everlasting punishment. The righteous in their resurrected and glorified bodies will receive their reward and will dwell forever in Heaven with the Lord.

Isa. 2:4; 11:9; Matt. 16-27; 18:8-9; 19:28; 24:27; 30; 36; 44; 25:31-46; 26:64; Mark 8:38; 9:43-48; Luke 12:40; 48; 16:19-26; 17:22-37; 21:27-28; John 14:1-3; Acts 1:11; 17:31; Rom. 14:10; 1 Cor. 4:5; 15:24-28; 35-58; 2 Cor. 5:10; Phil. 3:20-21; Col. 1:5; 3:4; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 5:1 ff.; 2 Thes. 1:7 ff.; 2; 1 Tim. 6:14; 2 Tim. 4:1; 8; Titus 2:13; Heb. 9:27-28; James 5:8 2 Peter 3:7 ff.; 1 John 2:28; 3-2; Jude 14; Rev. 1:18; 3:11; 20:1 to 22:13

Evangelism and Missions

It is the duty and privilege of every follower of Christ and of every church of the Lord Jesus Christ to endeavor to make disciples of all nations. The new birth of man's spirit by God's Holy Spirit means the birth of love for others. Missionary efforts on the part of all rests thus upon a spiritual necessity of the regenerate life, and is expressly and repeatedly commanded in the teachings of Christ. It is the duty of every child of God to seek constantly to win the lost to Christ by personal effort and by all other methods in harmony with the gospel of Christ.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-6; Isa. 6:1-8; Matt. 9:37-38; 10:5-15; 13:18-30; 37-43; 16:19; 22:9-10; 24:14; 28:18-20; Luke 10:1-18; 24:46-53; John 14:11-12; 15:7-8; 16; 17:15; 20:21; Acts 1:8; 2; 8:26-40; 10:42-48; 13:2-3; Rom. 10: 13-15; Eph. 3:1-11; 1 Thes. 1:8; 2 Tim. 4-5; Heb. 2:1-3; 11:39 to 12:2 1 Peter 2:4-10; Rev. 22:17

Education

The cause of education in the Kingdom of Christ is co-ordinate with the causes of missions and general benevolence, and should receive along with these the liberal support of the churches. An adequate system of Christian schools is necessary to a complete spiritual program for Christ's people.

In Christian education there should be a proper balance between academic freedom and academic responsibility. Freedom in any orderly relationship of human life is always limited and never absolute. The freedom of a teacher in a Christian school, college, or seminary is limited by the preeminence of Jesus Christ, by the authoritive nature of the Scriptures, and by the distinct purpose for which the school exists.

Deut. 4:1; 5:9; 14; 6:1-10; 31:12-13; Neh. 8:1-8; Job 28:28; Psalm 19:7 ff.; 119:11; Prov. 3:13 ff.; 4:1-10; 8:1-7; 11; 15:14; Eccl. 7:19; Matt. 5:2; 7:24 ff.; 28:19-20; Luke 2:40; 1 Cor. 1:18-31; Eph. 4:11-16; Phil. 4:8; Col. 2:3; 8-9; 1 Tim. 1:3-7; Tim. 2:15; 3:14-17; Heb. 5:12 to 6:3; James 1:5; 3:17

Stewardship

God is the source of all blessings, temporal, and spiritual; all that we have and are we owe to Him. Christians have a spiritual debtorship to the whole world, a holy trusteeship in the gospel, and a binding

stewardship in their possessions. They are therefore under obligations to serve Him with their time, talents, and material possessions; and should recognize all these as entrusted to them to use for the glory of God and for helping others. According to the Scriptures, Christians should contribute of their means cheerfully, regularly, systematically, proportionately, and liberally for the advancement of the Redeemer's cause on earth.

Gen. 14:20; Lev. 27:30-32; Deut. 8:18; Ma. 3:8-12; Matt. 6:1-4; 19-21; 23:23; 25:14-29; Luke 12:16-21; 42; 16:1-13; Acts 2:44-47; 5:1-11, 17:24-25; Rom. 6:6-22; 12:1-2; 1 Cor. 4:1-2; 6:19-20; 12; 16:1-4; 2 Cor. 8-9; 12:15; Phil. 4:10-19; 1 Peter 1:18-19

Cooperation

Christ's people should, as occasion requires, organize such associations and conventions as may best secure cooperation for the great objects of the Kingdom of God. Such organizations have no authority over one another or over the churches. They are voluntary and advisory designed to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of our people in the most effective manner. Members of New Testament churches should cooperate with one another in carrying forward the missionary, educational, and benevolent ministries for the extension of Christ's Kingdom. Christian unity in the New Testament sense is spiritual harmony and voluntary cooperation for common ends by various groups of Christ's people. Cooperation is desirable between the various Christian denominations, when the end to be attained is itself justified, and when such cooperation involves no violation of conscience or compromise of loyalty to Christ and His Word as revealed in the New Testament.

Ex. 17:12; 18:17 ff.; Judg. 7:21; Ezra 1:3-4; 2:68-69; 5:14-15; Neh. 4; 8:1-5; Matt. 10:5-15; 20:1-16; 22:1-10; 28:19-20; Mark 2:3; Luke 10:1 ff.; Acts 1:13-14; 2:1 ff.; 4:31-37; 13:2-3; 15:1-35; 1 Cor. 1:10-17; 3:5-15; 12; 2 Cor. 8-9; Gal. 1:6-10; Eph. 4:1-16; Phil. 1:15-18

The Christian and the Social Order

Every Christian is under obligation to seek to make the will of Christ supreme in his own life and in human society. Means and methods used for the improvement of society and the establishment of righeousness among men can be truly and permanently helpful only when they are rooted in the regeneration of the individual by the

saving grace of God in Christ Jesus. The Christian should oppose in the spirit of Christ every form of greed, selfishness, and vice. He should work to provide for the orphaned, the needy, the aged, the helpless and the sick. Every Christian should seek to bring industry, government, and society as a whole under the sway of the principles of righteousness, truth and brotherly love. In order to promote these ends Christians should be ready to work with all men of good will in any good cause always being carefull to act in the spirit of love without compromising their loyalty to Christ and His truth.

Ex. 20:3-17; Lev. 6:2-5; Deut. 10:12; 27:17; Psalm 101:5; Mic. 6:8; Zech. 8:16; Matt. 5:13-16; 43-48; 22:36-40; 25:35; Mark 1:29-34; 2:3 ff.; 10:21; Luke 4:18-21; 10:27-37; 20-25; John 15:12; 17:15; Rom. 12-14; 1 Cor. 5:9-10; 6:1-7; 7:20-24; 10:23 to 11:1; Gal. 3:26-28; Eph. 6:5-9; Col. 3:12-17; Thes. 3:12; Philemon; James 1:27:2-8

Peace and War

It is the duty of Christians to seek peace with all men on principles of righteousness. In accordance with the spirit and teachings of Christ they should do all in their power to put an end to war.

The true remedy for the war spirit is the gospel of our Lord. The supreme need of the world is the acceptance of His teachings in all the affairs of men and nations, and the practical applications of His laws of love.

Isa. 2:4; Matt. 5:9; 38-48; 6:33; 26-52; Luke 22:36; 38; Rom. 12:18-19; 13:1-7; 14:19; Heb. 12:14; James 4:1-2

Religious Liberty

God alone is Lord of the conscience and He has left it free from the doctrines and commandments of men which are contrary to His Word or not contained in it. Church and state should be separate. The state owes to every church protection and full freedom in the pursuit of its spiritual ends. In providing for such freedom no ecclesiastical group or denomination should be favored by the state more than others. Civil government being ordained of God, it is the duty of Christians to render loyal obedience thereto in all things not contrary to the

revealed will of God. The church should not resort to the civil power to carry on its work. The gospel of Christ contemplates spiritual means alone for the pursuit of its ends. The state has no right to impose penalties for religious opinions of any kind. The state has no right to impose taxes for the support of any form of religion. A free church in a free state is the Christian ideal, and this implies the right of free and unhindered access to God on the part of all men, and the right to form and propagate opinions in the sphere of religion without interference by the civil power.

Gen. 1:27; 2:7; Matt 6:6-7; 24:16:26; 22:21; John 8:36; Acts 4:19-20; Rom. 6:1-2; 13:1-7; Gal. 5:1 13; Phil. 3:20; 1 Tim. 2:1-2; James 4:12; 1 Peter 2:12-17; 3:11-17; 4:12-19

CONSTITUTION

Article I - Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communitites closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be all ordained ministers of the Association and three delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken, as may be decided upon by the Association.

Section 5. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership and may receive churches according to the Association's Constitution and By-Laws. Any church in the Association which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years shall be contacted by the Executive Committee of the association to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association.

A cooperating church shall be defined as one which sends a report (Church Letter) to the annual session, is represented (by messengers) at the annual session, contributes to the financial program of the association and is in general sympathy with the purposes of the association. The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association.

Article II - Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in cooperating with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III - Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV - Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Moderator of the Association (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) to preside over the annual sessions and all special sessions including the meetings of the Executive Committee. As the presiding officer, he shall open the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforce the rules, preserve the order, and exercise all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parlimentary usage. He shall name the committees and representatives of Institutions and agencies described in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Article V of the Constitution at the opening of the annual session. He shall be elected for a one year term, and he cannot succeed himself after the second consecutive term.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the proceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. (1) The Director of Missions shall be elected upon a recommendation of the Committee on Missions, and by vote of the Association at a regularly scheduled meeting. The relationship between the Association and its Director of Missions may be terminated following a reasonable notice of not less than 30 days.

(2) The Director of Missions shall promote the work and witness of the Association and denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers and Associational committees and organizations.

A. He shall be responsible for planning, promoting and executing the ministry of the Association in cooperation with the Committee on Missions.

B. He shall make an annual report to the Association at the August meeting.

C. He shall be an ex officio member of all committees of the Association serving in an advisory and/or resource capacity.

D. He shall seek to visit each church in the Association in order to:

(1) Enrich Christian fellowship among churches.

(2) Encourage and strengthen the ministry of the churches.

(3) Enhance the cooperative relationship between the churches and the Association.

E. He shall, when necessary, conduct surveys or inquiries in order to determine specific needs for ministry within the area of the Association.

F. He shall, upon request, provide a list of qualified persons who may be considered by churches seeking pastors.

G. He shall have full administrative responsibility for all personnel employed by the Association.

(3) The Director of Missions is entitles to two weeks vacation annually. Upon completion of five years service, the Director of Missions shall be entitled to three weeks annual vacation, and after ten years, four weeks annual vacation. Vacation is to be taken within the calendar year, and it is not accumulative.

The Director Of Missions is entitled to 30 days sick leave per calendar year, sick leave is not to be taken as vacation, and it is not accumulative.

(4) Should there occur at any time a grievance on the part of the Association or the Director of Missions, either party may consult with the Moderator and Chairmen of the Missions Committees.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished, and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next session.

Article V - Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, Mission Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Association Executive Committee shall be composed of one lay member of all churches, the pastors of such churches and the officers of the Association as listed under Section 1 of Article IV. Twelve members of this committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business, after notice of such meeting has been mailed or otherwise given to all members of the committee at least three days prior to the proposed meeting. Members of this committee shall be elected by the churches annually.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator, ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct the organization of new churches in accordance with the rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting, including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister to deliver the Associational Sermon and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members who shall bring to the next annual session following their appointment, nominations for the several officers of the association, including, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, and Clerk/Treasurer. Exceptions will be Organizational Heads which are named by their respective organizations. The Nomination Committee shall also submit the names of all committee members, the only exceptions beng the Nominating, Place & Preacher, and Resolutions Committees which are appointed by the Moderator. The Officers and Committees named in this article shall be elected on the first day of each annual session, subject to additional nomination from the floor and the expressed will of the Association.

Section 8. The Moderator is authorized and directed to appoint suitable persons at each session to prepare and present to the next session reports on the various subjects and causes customary to be presented and to notify such persons in due time before the meeting of the Association.

Section 9. The Board of Directors of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three (3) for one year, three (3) for two years, and three(3) for three years.

Of the said nine members, three shall be active pastors in the Association. After the completion of one term, no member shall be eligible for re-election to this board until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this board may be chosen from any one church of the Association. The treasurer of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp (who shall serve in addition to the nine member Board of Directors) shall be elected by the Board of Directors on an indefinite basis. He/She shall have charge of the collection and disbursement

of all designated funds as instructed by the Board of Directors. He/She shall have voting privileges as do other members.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to cooperate with the officials, pastors, and Executive Committee of the Association in promoting and advancing the development and operation of the camp; to supervise and direct the work of the camp; and to make a report to the Association at each annual meeting. Vacancies occuring in this organization shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 10. The Missions Committee shall consist of five members composed of the following organizational heads: Sunday School, Church Training, W.M.U., Brotherhood and Associational Music Director. The committee shall be elected annually. It shall work with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of the Association and lead and assist in determining need for beginning new mission stations and organizing new churches. The Moderator and the Director of Missions shall be ex-officio members of this committee.

Section 11. The Ordination Committee shall consist of five (5) members, at least three of whom shall be pastors, serving in the association. The Chairman, at his discretion, may invite the pastor of a candidate to sit with the committee. Churches of the association desiring to ordain a preacher to the Gospel Ministry and desiring to use the services of the Ordination Committee of the Ashe Baptist Association shall use the following procedure.

1. The church in conference shall vote to ask the Ordination Committee to examine the candidate and so notify the chairman.
2. The candidate shall meet the following conditions before ordination.
   (a) Hold membership in a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (b) Shall have been called a pastor of a Cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.
   (c) Shall have held a license to preach, issued by a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church for not less than six months.
3. The Chairman shall set a suitable time and place, notifying the members, for the examination.
4. The candidate shall be examined as to his Conversion, Call to the Ministry, Doctrinal Beliefs, Attitude toward our denomination and its programs.
5. The Committee Chariman shall notify the church of its recommendations and they may proceed with the ordination.

Article V - Section 12

Section 12. The Evangelism Committee, composed of 6 members, shall promote the work of Evangelism in the churches and the association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its executive Committee.

Article V - Section 13 Constitution and By-Laws Committee

Section 13. The nominating committee shall nominate a committee on Constitution and By-Laws consisting of five members, of which the first named shall serve as chairman. It shall be the duty of this committee to receive, examine and make recommendations to the Association on all proposed amendments to the Constitution or the Bv-Laws.

Article V - Section 14 - Properties Committee

Section 14. The nominating committee shall nominate a Properties Committee which shall consist of three members and shall have the reponsibility of recommending the purchase of necessary property and the construction of necessary buildings. This committee shall recommend any repairs and improvements needed on associational property. All recommendations subject to approval by the Executive Committee between sessions or the full-body session.

Article VI - Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting, convening in the month of August of each year, at such time and place as may be designated or authorized by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII - Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as herein before provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII - Power and Perogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowhip from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to cooperate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX - Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.

2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the Only rule of Faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.

4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.

6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with the church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.

7. We believe in the final perserverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.

8. We believe in a separate resurrection and judgment, both for the righteous, and unrighteous dead.

9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.

2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.

3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.

4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.

5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and the assemble, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation; and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD ANNUAL SESSION OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
Friday, August 18, 1989

Friday, 18 August 1989 was the first day of meeting of the One Hundred Third annual session of the Ashe Baptist Association. This first day being hosted by and meeting with Liberty Grove Baptist Church.

Those present were lead in the singing of "Praise Him, Praise Him" led by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Scripture was read from Acts 2 beginning with verse 1 by host pastor, Rev. Harvey Presnell.

Rev. David Blackburn, Moderator, asked delegates to stand, be recognized and to be seated as delegates.

The Moderator also shared the rules of order.

Motion to adopt the Order of Business as printed in the program was made by Marvin Smith of Pleasant Home, seconded by Hank Saralegui of Midway. Voted on and carried.

The Moderator asked visitors to stand and be recognized and this included Miss Sue Fitzgerald and Steve and Dorothy Witherspoon.

One new pastor was recognized, this being Rev. Paul Coffey of Trinity Baptist Church.

Widows of deceased pastors were recognized as follows: Mrs. Bill McMillan, Mrs. Walter Day, Mrs. Gwyn Blackburn and Mrs. E.Z. Sexton.

No new churches.

A motion to adopt the committee appointments as printed in the program was made by Jerry South of Liberty Grove, seconded by Pozy Owen of Healing Springs. Voted on and carried.

Vice-Moderator Marvin Osborne conducted the election for Moderator with David Blackburn being approved for another year.

A motion to approve the remainder of officers as printed in the program was made by John Leek of Orion, seconded by Bill Burchette of Old Fields. Voted on and carried.

Roll call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill, Clerk, with the following forty-two churches having representatives present: Apple Grove, Bald Mountain, Bethel, Big Flatts, Big Laurel, Bristol, Buffalo, Calvary, Clifton, Fletcher Memorial, Friendly Grove, Friendship, Glendale Springs, Grassy Creek, Healing Springs, Landmark, Laurel Knob, Liberty Grove, Little Helton, Midway, Mission Home, Mount Olive, New River, North Beaver, Oak Hill, Obids, Old Fields, Orion, Peak Valley, Pilot Mountain, Pine Swamp,

Pleasant Home, Pleasant Valley, Round Knob, South Beaver, Sturgills, Three Forks, Trinity, Tuckerdale, Wagoner, Warrensville, Welcome Home and West Jefferson First.

Congregational hymn "Victory in Jesus" was lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Report on the Baptist Hospital was made by Mr. Calvin Knight. He discussed the miracles of healing by Jesus and how this ministry is being continued through the Baptist Hospital. He also invited those who have never visited the hospital to please do so.

Motion to adopt the Baptist Hospital Report made by Gwendolyn Elliott of Mission Home; seconded by Jerry South of Liberty Grove; voted on and carried.

There was also discussion of the return to the Mother's Day Offering for the hospital.

Baptist Children's Home report by Mr. Bill Morrow who read Mark 10:13-16. He reminded those present that the Baptist Children's Homes were started in November 1885 in Thomasville. He also reported that there are presently 17 facilities throughout the state and the average stay of a child in one of these homes is 18 months. He discussed returning to the Thanksgiving offering for the Children's Homes and "joining hands and hearts to help children across North Carolina".

Motion to adopt Mr. Morrow's report made by Leonard Smith of Friendly Grove; seconded by Dewey Campbell of Friendly Grove; voted on and carried.

Fruitland Bible Institute report by Rev. Alex Booth. A motion to adopt this report was made by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox of Mission Home; seconded by Bill Burchette of Old Fields; voted on and carried.

Mars Hill College report made by Miss Sue Fitzgerald who read from from Matthew 16. She stated "Our Baptist Colleges see faith as a foundation for life and want to help our young people be creative Christians in the world". Miss Fitzgerald concluded by thanking those present for their support, asked that they continue to pray and send their young people to our colleges.

Motion to adopt Mars Hill College report by Rev. Charles McCoy of Big Flatts; seconded by Rev. Bill Burchette of Old Fields; voted on and carried.

Gardner Webb College report by Robert T. Parsons Jr. who reported that some of the things going on at Gardner-Webb are: (1) Craven E. Williams Osbervatory presently being constructed on the campus; (2) Record enrollment in that 2200 students last year and more expected this year; (3) The signing of an agreement with a University in Japan to

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2. Bald Mountain
3. Baptist Home
4. Beaver Creek
5. Bethel
6. Big Flatts
7. Big Laurel
8. Blue Ridge
9. Bristol
10. Buffalo
11. Calvary
12. Clifton
13. Farmer Memorial
14. Fletcher Memorial
15. Friendly Grove
16. Friendship
17. Glendale Springs
18. Grassy Creek
19. Healing Springs
20. Landmark
21. Laurel Knob
22. Liberty Grove
23. Little Helton
24. Midway
25. Mission Home
26. Mount Olive
27. New River
28. North Beaver
29. Oak Hill
30. Obids
31. Old Fields
32. Orion
33. Peak Valley
34. Phoenix
35. Pilot Mountain
36. Pine Swamp
37. Pleasant Home
38. Pleasant Valley
39. Prosperity
40. Round Knob
41. Sabbath Home
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47. Warrensville
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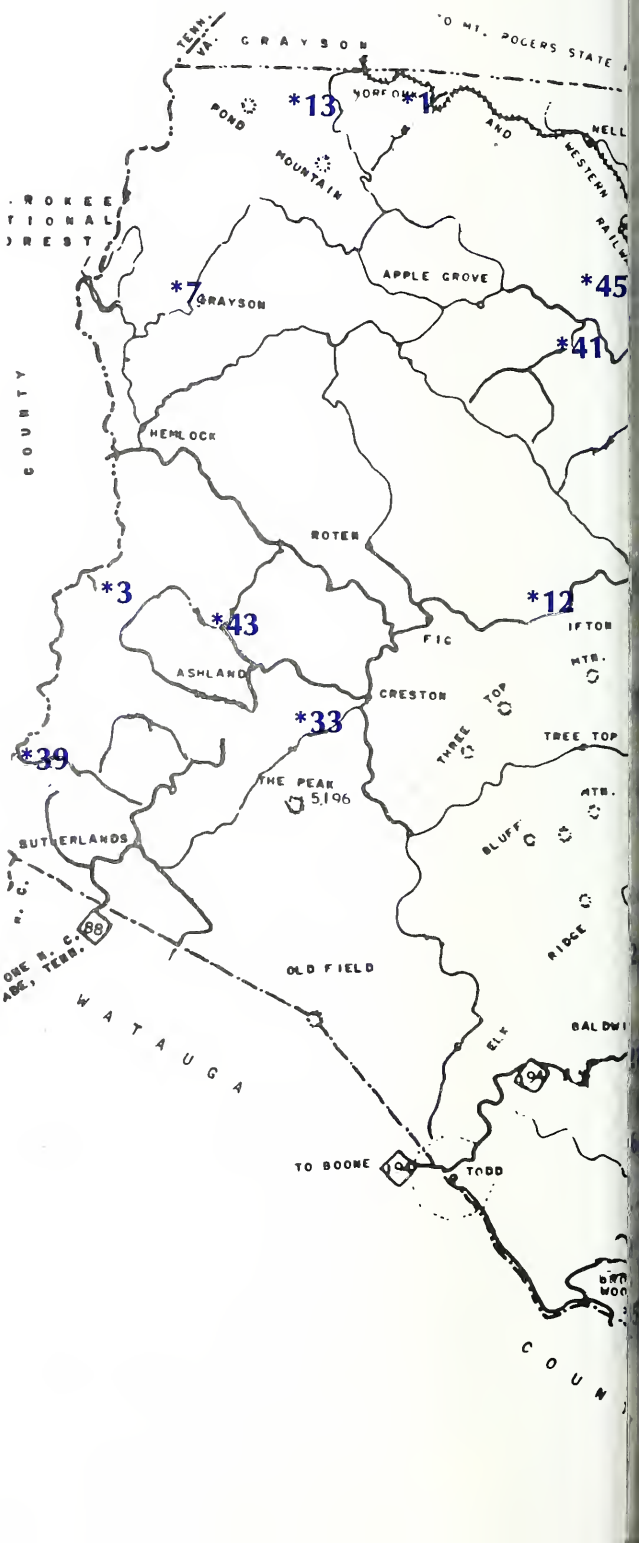

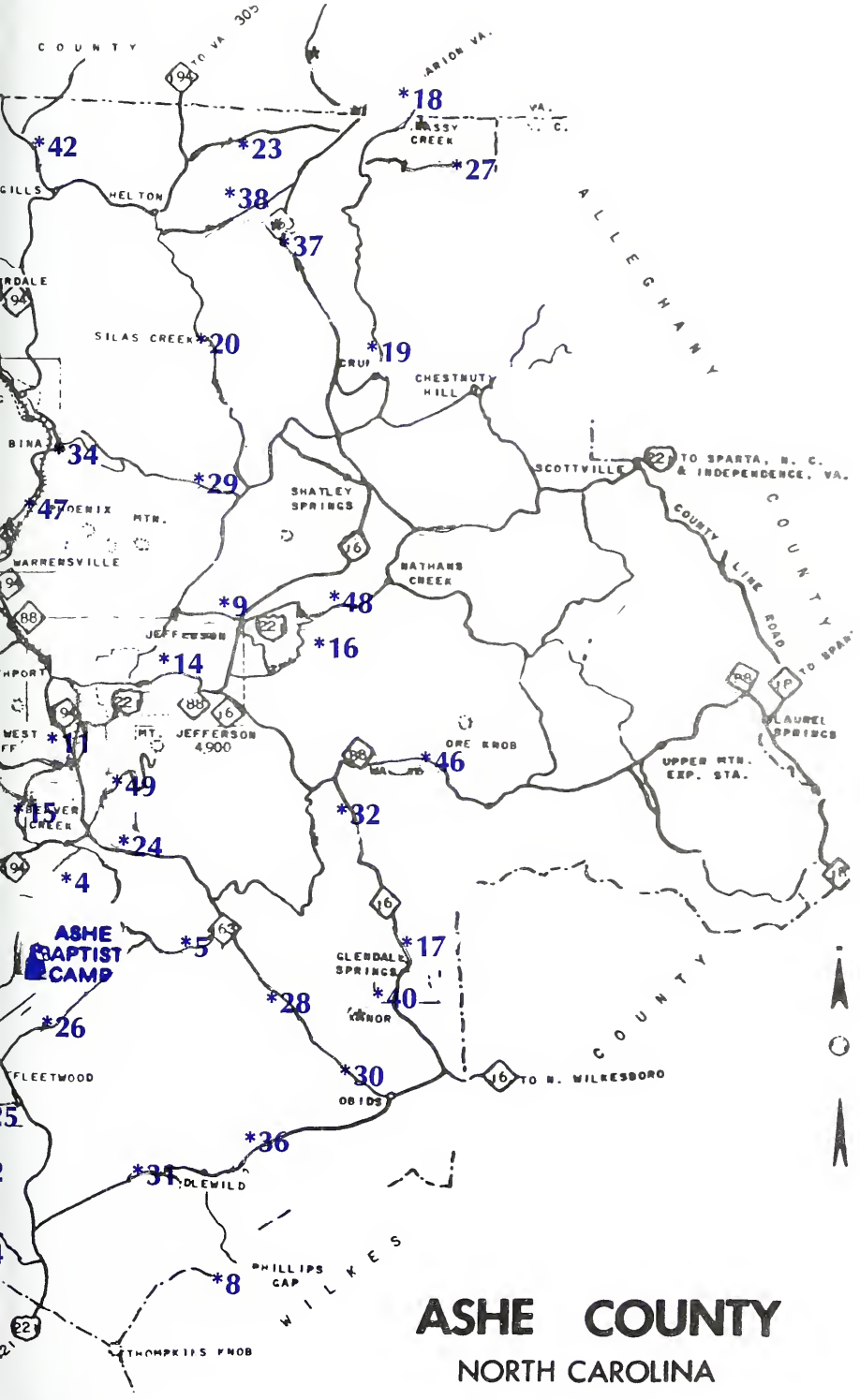
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get 20 students from Japan to complete junior and senior years at Gardner-Webb. Thus making it the only college on the eastern coast chosen to participate in this program; there being only five in the United States.

Motion to adopt this report by Rev. Billy Joe Blevins of Bristol; seconded by Clemmie Wilcox; voted on and carried.

Wake Forest College report given by Mr. Ben Hodge who reported some of the things presently going on being 800 freshmen being chosen from 9,000 applications, sixty five million dollars of construction going on at this time, gave $11,000,000 in financial aid last year, and have begun fund raising for the establishment of a School of Divinity.

Motion to adopt this report made by Gaither Poe of Wagoner Baptist Church; seconded by Carroll Roten of Three Forks; voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "When We All Get To Heaven" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Area Missions report made by Rev. Tom Lolley who read from First Corinthians and presented his report as printed in the program. Motion to adopt by Fred Walters of Friendship; seconded by Ray Ham of Calvary; voted on and carried.

Southern Baptist Convention Annuity report made by Rev. Ervel Jones who moved for the adoption of his report as printed in the program; seconded by Rev. Charlie McCoy, voted on and carried.

Pastor's Conference report by Rev. Billy Joe Blevins who moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Claybern Roten of Wagoner; voted on and carried.

Evangelism report presented by Rev. Jimmy Warden who also moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Jim Rash of Laurel Knob; voted on and carried.

Pastor's Salary and Retirement report by Rev. John Leek who moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox of Mission Home; voted on and carried.

Christian Action League report by Delmas Parker who also moved for its adoption; seconded by Billy Smith, voted on and carried.

The Moderator called a recess for ten minutes.

The Treasurer's Report was given by Mrs. Jeannie McNeill with Fred Walters of Friendship Baptist Church making a motion to adopt, seconded by Harvey Presnell, voted on and carried.

State Missions report by Rev. Wayne Jones who moved for its adoption; seconded by Hank Saralegui of Midway Church, voted on and carried.

Executive Committee report given by Rev. David Blackburn with a motion to adopt by Bill Ballou; seconded by Mack Gore of New River Church, voted on and carried.

Rev. Bill Ballou made a special report on his Brazil trip.

"Blessed Assurance" was lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Annual sermon was delivered by Rev. Claybern Roten who read Exodus 25: 1-9 and asked Rev. Ervel Jones to lead in prayer. Rev. Roten stated, "God is depending on us to let our light shine in the world today. "We need to cry out to God with a sincere heart"....."God means for us to be fruitful".

Adjourned for the evening meal with Rev. Jimmy Rash asking the blessing and offering benediction.

After a delicious meal those attending were lead in "Amazing Grace" by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Evening Session to be presided over by Vice-Moderator Marvin Osborne who asked Rev. Larry Powers, Pastor at Clifton, to lead in devotion. Rev. Power read Gal. 6:1-20.

Moderator Osborne expressed appreciation for the delicious meal served by the ladies of Liberty Grove Baptist Church.

The proposed budget was presented by Chairman of the Budget and Finance Committee, Garner Blevins. This to be voted on at Saturday's session.

A history of Liberty Grove Baptist Church was read by Mrs. Lorna Scott.

Miscellaneous Business:

Executive Committee and Associational Office Building Steering Committee report by Rev. John Leek who said this was for informational purposes only. Rev. Jack Miller of Mission Home Church made a motion that this Committee continue studying this proposal and give a report at the next annual meeting as well as report to the quarterly Executive Committee meeting; seconded by Rev. Charles Edwards of Friendly Grove Church. After discussion by Jerry South this motion was voted on and carried.

Special music was presented by the Liberty Grove Trio.

Evening sermon by Rev. Marvin "Billy" Smith, Pastor at Pleasant Home Church. Rev. Smith opened with prayer and read from John 3. He spoke on God's plan of salvation and stated "faith is believing in God and trusting God". He also stated, "When you get right with God you will do right". "When we get saved we will love the brethren. We can't love God unless we love our brother".

Vice Moderator Osborne asked Rev. Harvey Presnell to give the benediction.

SATURDAY SESSION

Saturday Session met with Friendship Baptist Church.

Call to order by Moderator David Blackburn.

Congregational Hymn "How Great Thou Art" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Welcome and devotion by host pastor, Rev. Johnny Blevins, who read from Nehemiah, chapter 1, and lead in prayer.

The Moderator also read the Rules of Order.

Sunday School report by Rev. Ervel Jones who moved for its adoption; seconded by Joanie Saraleugi, voted on and carried.

Church Training report made by Mrs. Gwen Elliott who moved for its adoption; seconded by Rev. Ken Morris of West Jefferson Church, voted on and carried.

WMU report by Mrs. Ruth Calhoun who moved for its adoption; seconded by Mrs. Clemmie Wilcox, voted on and carried.

Church Music Report given by Dewey Campbell who encouraged that more time and effort be put into our church music. A motion to adopt this report was made by Leonard Smith of Friendly Grove Church; seconded by Gwen Elliott of Mission Home, discussed by Ken Morris, voted on and carried.

BUSINESS SESSION:

Associational Budget as presented at Friday's session was moved for adoption; seconded by Charles Edwards, with a motion by Ervil Jones to ammend the allowance for the Youth Program to $500 which was seconded by David Testerman of Landmark. The amendment was voted on and carried as well as the rest of the budget.

Motion to elect organizational heads and committees as printed in the book of reports made by Jerry South of Liberty Grove; seconded by Joe Montague of Phoenix, after discussion by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Mrs. E.Z. Sexton was recognized and she told about being here at the annual meeting 50 years ago in 1939.

Jeannie McNeill conducted roll call of the churches with the following 38 churches having delegates present: Apple Grove, Bethel, Big Flatts, Bristol, Buffalo, Calvary, Clifton, Fletcher Memorial, Friendly Grove, Friendship, Glendale Springs, Grassy Creek, Healing Springs, Landmark, Laurel Knob, Liberty Grove, Little Helton, Midway, Mission Home, Mount Olive, New River, North Beaver, Oak Hill, Obids, Old Fields, Orion, Phoenix, Pilot Mountain, Pine Swamp, Pleasant Home, Pleasant Valley, Three Forks, Trinity, Tuckerdale, Wagoner, Warrensville, Welcome Home and West Jefferson First.

Congregational Hymn "The Way Of The Cross Leads Home" was lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Baptist Children's Home report of Mrs. Joann Goodman, who was not present, was moved for adoption as printed by Jim Rash; seconded by Charles Edwards of Friendly Grove, voted on and carried.

Retirement Homes report given by Rev. John Goodman who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Russell Phillips of Big Flatts, voted on and carried.

Baptist Hospital report of Rev. Jerry Burleson, who was not present, was moved for adoption as printed by Bill Ballou; seconded by Virginia Sexton of Orion, voted on and carried.

Biblical Recorder report by Mrs. Linda Eller who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Bill Burchette of Old Fields, voted on and carried.

Christian Literature report of Mrs. Cathy Bower was moved for adoption as printed by Bill Ballou; seconded by Earnie Blevins of Warrensville, voted on and carried after discussion by Joe Eastridge of Clifton.

Christian Education report of Stewart Scott, who was not present, moved for adoption as printed by Bill Ballou; seconded by Dewey Cambpell of Friendly Grove, voted on and carried.

Baptist Foundation report by Mr. Norman Roten who moved for its adoption, seconded by Joe Eastridge of Clifton, voted on and carried.

American Bible Society report of Rev. Gary Watson was given in his absence by Marvin Osborne who also moved for its adoption; seconded by Jim Rash of Laurel Knob, voted on and carried.

Cooperative Program report made by Rev. Charles Edwards who moved for its adoption; seconded by John Leek, discussion by David Testerman and Clemmie Wilcox, voted on and carried.

Brotherhood report of Jim Lambert was moved for adoption as printed by Hank Saralegui of Midway Church; seconded by David Testerman of Landmark, voted on and carried.

Place and Preacher Committee report given by its Chairman, Rev. Garrett Mahaffey, who reported next year's annual meeting was to be hosted on Friday by Fletcher Memorial and on Saturday by Big Flatts. Bill Ballou to deliver the annual message with alternate to be Gary Teague.

Miscellaneous Business:

A motion was made by Rev. Johnny Blevins that the Moderator be allowed to appoint a committee of three to five persons as a Missions Committee to develop a ministry for our migrant workers; seconded by John Leek of Orion. Discussion was had by David Blackburn and Charles Edwards made a motion that the original motion be amended to have the committee get information ready by next executive meeting time; second to amendment by Johnny Blevins, voted on and

carried. The originial motion, as amended, was voted on and carried.

"CARE" report by Rev. Maurice Cooper, Convention Church Training Director. He talked about how we are not reaching lost people like we should be. He also stated the first word in CARE should be Concern. The second word should be Availability. The next word should be Ready to do whatever necessary to help, and the final word should be Encourages. Motion to adopt by Clemmie Wilcox, seconded by Virginia Sexton, voted on and carried.

Friendship Baptist Church history given by Ronnie Sturgill. Motion to accept the histories for recording in annual minutes by Fred Walters, seconded by James Taylor of Midway, voted on and carried.

Foreign Missions report made by Dianne Ballou who moved for its adoption; seconded by Gary Teague, voted on and carried.

"There Shall Be Showers of Blessing" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Morning message brought by Rev. J.W. Hutchens, Director of Evangelism of the Baptist State Convention, who discussed the 1990 simultaneous revival. He read from First Peter 3:15, and stated, "If we are going to have revival we are going to have to tell people about Jesus.....We will have to say 'Lord, use me to be a soul winner'." Rev. Hutchens also reminded us of three great sermons in the Bible: Acts 1 - Jesus came down; Acts 2 - Jesus went up; and Acts 3 - the church went out.....He said, "If the church today will do what God says He will take care of the rest of it. We have to be centered in the will of God in our church if we are to have revival." Rev. Hutchens closed with prayer.

Adjourned for noon meal with host pastor, Rev. Johnny Blevins, giving directons for getting served and Rev. Jerry Winkler, Pastor at Glendale Springs asking the blessing and benediction.

Afternoon session conducted by Vice Moderator, Marvin Osborne.

Session opened with Dewey and Irene Campbell leading in the singing of "Blessed Assurance".

For devotion Rev. Johnny Blevins lead in prayer for revival.

Home Missions report of Mrs. Lois Jones moved for adoption in her absence by Bill Ballou (as printed in the program), seconded by Billy Smith, voted on and carried.

Associational Missions report by Director of Missions, Rev. Bill Ballou, who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Vacation Bible School report given by Bill Ballou who moved for its adoption; seconded by Wayne Jones after discussion by Charles Edwards, Joe Eastridge, Georgia Hager and David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Bapist Camp Report of Jack Ashley, who was not present, was moved for adoption as printed in the program by Bill Ballou; seconded by Earl Sheets, voted on and carried.

Seminary Extension report by Bill Ballou who moved for its adoption; seconded by Bill Burchette, and after discussion by Bill Ballou, voted on and carried.

Russell Phillips and Bill Ballou reported on the progress being made in the rebuilding of Big Flatts Church which burned December 18, 1988. They reported that around $21,000, has been contributed mostly by sister churches in Ashe County. Also expressed a special thanks to Friendly Grove Church for giving them the pews.

"Glory To His Name" was lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Afternoon message by Rev. Earl Sheets who said he was going to speak on "the church of my dreams". He read scripture from Ephesians 5. He also shared that the church should be "A giving church, an attended church a church with high ideals, a friendly church, a loving church (first got to love the Lord and also love those lost souls), and a mission minded church". Rev. Sheets asked, "How can we have this dream church?" and his answer was "by sticking by the world of God in 'Be Ye Doers of the Word, Not Hearers only'."

Resolutions Committee report given by Mrs. Cindy Davis. Charles Edwards of Friendly Grove moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by John Leek of Orion, voted on and carried after discussion by Ken Morris.

A motion was made by Bill Ballou to dispense with the reading of the minutes and to let the closing prayer of the memorial service serve as the benediction; seconded by Bill Smith of Pleasant Home, voted on and carried.

Vice Moderator Osborne expressed appreciation for use of the churches, the delicious and abundant food served and the fellowship present at this year's meeting.

Memorial Service conducted by Rev. W.E. Burchette, Pastor of Old Fields.

"Blessed Be The Tie" was lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee Report met for all it's regularly scheduled meetings and one called meeting during the past associational year and has taken what it believes to be the proper action on all business brought to it's attention.

I, as moderator, would like to thank all executive committee members, all pastors, Rev. Bill Ballou and all host churches for your support as we seek to do God's will together. I challenge all churches to be active in your executive meetings by your prayers, your presence, and your voice as we work together to defeat Satan and lift up the cause of Christ.

The work of Christ continues in our association with activities such as WITNESS, CRUSADE for CHRIST, Weeks of Prayer for different mission work, all types of Training Sessions, and special meetings for Christian growth. No matter how small the church or how large, we all need to be informed about these activities to further the Father's business in our association. This is made possible by attending the Executive Committee Meetings held the first Thursday night in each quarter. May this next year be the best for Christ that our association has ever had.

Respectfully Submitted,
David Blackburn, Moderator

ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION YOUTH COUNCIL

The Youth Council has sponsored four events during the associational year, i.e., Kid's Day in July, a Youth Rally in August, Youth Night in March, and Alternative Graduation Party for the High School Seniors. The Youth Council received $1264.74 ($964.74 from the churces and $300.00 from the Association) and spent $1245.47 for these four events.

The Youth Council appreciates the support of the churches and the Association and a strong youth program will depend upon your continued support and participation.

The goals of the Youth Council are to provide fun and fellowship for the youth of our Association, and most importantly to share the Gospel with young people who face our complex and difficult world without Jesus Christ as Savior.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jim Rash, Chairman

BROTHERHOOD REPORT

The arena for training, development, and encouragement is the local church and the association. These are the two basic and most important organizations in Southern Baptist life. Without the church and the association there would be no Cooperative Program or Bold Missions.

Therefore, our emphasis in Associational Brotherhood is to strengthen churches so that they in turn can become the Sending Agency of their most powerful resource - men and boys. Only then can we accomplish our goals of sharing Christ with every person on earth.

The Associational Brotherhood exists to help churches inform, motivate, and involve men and boys in praying, studying, enlisting, giving, ministering, and bearing witness of Christ to their community and the world. This means the object of Associational Brotherhood work in the local church. We thank God for the churches that have Brotherhood and the work that they do. We are here to help you and your church in preparing to go out and tell others of what Christ has done for you.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jimmy Lambert

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

We still see a decline in the morals of our people, yes, even Christians. We should ask ourselves, just what am I doing to help stop some of these things that are going on around me. Do I bear the Witness of Christ, or do I share in this activity that is around me?

We still see that alcohol continues to be the biggest drug in our nation and seems to be a growing problem. What about Pornography and what it leads to. After reading and looking at this filth terrible crimes are committed. The phone lines are at an all-time-high with this garbage. It isn't only young people making these calls but adult people as well.

What has happened to, "I do" in the marriage ceremony? 25% of all marriages are re-marriages and 50% of all marriages end in divorce. This involves not only young couples but older ones as well.

THE LOTTO OR LOTTERY: This is one of the vices that will come to North Carolina in the near future. As you may be aware, it is being considered in our state today. I suspect you will be given opportunity to cast a vote in the not-too-distant future. It will take a lot of "NO VOTES" to defeat this. How will you vote?

Horse Racing is another thing that is being looked at in our state. Did you know we have a group heading this up in Ashe County?

It is time for God's People to stand up and be counted.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jimmy Lambert

FOREIGN MISSION BOARD REPORT

Established by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1845, the Foreign Mission Board is the overseas mission channel for Southern Baptist churches and directs the work of more than 3,800 missionaries assigned to 113 countries. The churches support this ministry through the Cooperative Program and the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

1988 FOREIGN MISSIONS HIGHLIGHTS

Your prayers, your gifts and your missionaries helped make possible these advances:

- BAPTISMS. 197,863 people baptized, almost 541 a day.

- CHURCHES. About four new churches started per day, a total of 1,430.

- VOLUNTEERS. 10,800 Southern Baptist volunteers reinforced missions work in 74 of the countries where we work.

- MEETING HUMAN NEEDS. A record $10.9 million of your gifts were spent for overseas relief and world hunger.

- MISSIONARIES. 3,867 missionaries you supported worked in 113 countries.

- THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION. 26,952 overseas Baptists enrolled in formal ministerial training, up 21 percent over 1987.

- NEW WORK. 110 new cities entered in 41 countries. Work begun with 22 new people groups in 15 countries.

- CONTRIBUTIONS. Members of churches overseas gave the equivalent of $99,800,987 through their churches, up 6.2 percent, despite crippling inflation in some parts of the world.

- DISCIPLESHIP. 18,644 people enrolled in discipleship training, more than double 1987.

- BIBLE BY MAIL. 342,281 people enrolled in Bible correspondence courses.

FOREIGN MISSION FACTS:

DID YOU KNOW:

1. A prison in Nambia (South West Africa) has 500 enrolled in Bible Way Correspondence Course.
2. In Burkina Faso, 25,000 Bibles distributed to soldiers.
3. A new openness is in Austria -- revival activities outside the church buildings.
4. Stewardship Campaign in Latin American producing 100 percent increases for local churches.
5. Witness in the Middle East is difficult, Southern Baptist fraternal representatives exiled from Lebanon continue working from Cyprus.
6. Goal in Sao Paulo, Brazil, of starting 1,000 new churches before a.d. 2000.
7. In Bangladesh, each church committed to start two new missions.
8. Baptists in Argentina growing rapidly--nearly 15 percent each year.

Man drew the boundaries. But God can erase them--and He wants to. That's why His Son taught us to pray: "Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Dianne Ballou

HOME MISSION BOARD

1350 Spring Street, NW, Atlanta, Georgia 30367

RALPH SMITH, Chairman of the Board of Directors
LARRY L. LEWIS, President

"Christ for our nation" was chosen as the new identity statement of the Home Mission Board, and four emphases were established as priority concerns. These are evangelism, church planning, church growth, and ministry. The emphases and new objectives and goals in support of them, as well as a new organizational structure, were adopted by the board of directors in October 1988 to be effective January 1, 1989.

Authorized by the board of directors, the president appointed a Strategy Planning Task Force to assist in evaluating the Home Mission Board's purpose, objectives, goals, strategies, and structures, and in making recommendations for the future. The task force represented a broad cross-section of Southern Baptist life and included missiologists, evangelists, pastors of dynamic and growing church, seminary professors and state convention leaders.

In addition to the task force, state convention executive directors, state missions, evangelism, Woman's Missionary Union and Brotherhood directors, Home Mission Board staff, and others were given opportunity for input. The final recommendations of the president and Executive Council were then presented to the board of directors for approval.

The most significant changes in the organizational structures are as follows: The Missions Section was divided into the Extension Section and the Ministry Section. The Church Extension and Language Missions Divisions were renamed the New Church Extension and Language Church Extension Divisions. The Black Church Relations Department was elevated to the Black Church Extension Division. The Interfaith Witness Department was transferred to the Evangelism Section. All areas for volunteers, including the Mission Service Corps, were combined into the Volunteer Division. The Church and Community Ministries Department now includes the Christian Social Ministries Department but retained the same name. The Office of Prayer and Spiritual Awakening was transferred from the Evangelism Section and will report to the Executive Office. The Office of Public Relations was established and includes News and Information and agency-wide promotion.

Since 1880 the mission work in Cuba has been under the leadership of the Home Mission Board and in recent years the Board has undergirded the work in cooperation with the Baptist World Alliance. The transfer of the responsibility of relationships between the

Southern Baptist Convention and the Baptist Convention of Western Cuba to the Foreign Mission Board was completed.

A record number of missions personnel, 3,827, serve with the Home Mission Board. There are 2,014 Southern Baptist-endorsed chaplains. A variety of mission activities were performed by 49,781 volunteers.

Gifts to the Annie Armstrong Easter Offering of $30,855,305.11 reached an all-time high. The offering represented a 2.02 percent increase over 1987.

The missions personnel, chaplains, volunteers, and elected staff reported 80,738 professions of faith, 34.049 additions to churches, and 14,893 decisions for special service.

God has greatly blessed this agency and we covet your continued prayers for the work of the Home Mission Board and its personnel.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Lois Jones

AREA MISSIONS

Western North Carolina

CHANGE - you see it all around the thirty associations that make up Western North Carolina. Someone has said "that the more things change, the more they remain the same." That seems to be a contradiction but is a truth for the mountain churches and associations.

The influx of people into the area has brought new opportunities for church expansion and growth. However, many of the small "family" churches in the mountains have found it difficult to reach out and minister to these "different" people. Often these new comers talk differently, have different ideas - culturally and otherwise - and are often considered a threat to the fellowship of the small "family" church. It has always been true that new opportunities often remind us of old problems. The church in our day must find ways to "include" rather than "exclude."

The Area Missionary seeks to assist churches and associations in accomplishing their tasks. Many of the mountain churches have bi-vocational pastors. The dedication and quality of leadership offered by these ministers have proved to be one of the great assets of the churches. Training opportunities are provided throughout the year to help equip our leadership for the work they are called to do. Special conferences, seminary extension classes, and area meetings are planned to meet specific needs.

Western North Carolina is a growing tourist area. Working in cooperation with other convention personnel, we are seeking to involve churches in resort ministries. This work is growing in significant numbers. People are responding to the challenge of sharing the "good-news" with people where they are.

The Indian word for the mountain country was "Appalachi," which translated "land of the sky-the chosen land of God." The first white settlers over the Blue Ridge into the Swannanoa Valley called this place "Eden." Men continue to come to the garden. They continue to eat of the tree of Knowledge. In all of the change that takes place in these hills, may we ever seek to be sure that the knowledge they find will lead men to God.

Tom E. Lolley
Area Missionary
Western North Carolina

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS' ANNUAL REPORT

July 1, 1988, through June 30, 1989

It has been a good year for Ashe Baptists! God has blessed in so many ways. We give Him praise for the positive things that are happening in our association. He has drawn our churches together for the work He would have us do.

I could take the time to list all the activities I have been involved in during the past year such as attending local meetings of our associational organizations. I could mention the publishing each month of the Assocational Newsletter, the hundreds of pieces of literature mailed to pastors and church leaders. In addition to local activities I attended many meetings outside the association. The Sunday School Board in Nashville and the Home Mission Board in Atlanta take care of the expenses of Directors of Missions and bring them to those cities each year for Updating Seminars. This is most helpful to us in that it keeps us better informed as to our work.

The listing of my activities for the past year doesn't tell the whole story. To get the picture and feel the pulse of the association, you would need to sit with us in the Executive Committee meeting and sense the unity and Christian commitment as we vote our convictions on the big and sometimes sensitive issues. You will need to go with me to the Pastor's Conference and hear a pastor share with his fellow pastors a deep concern he may have concerning a church or perhaps something of a very personal nature. You will miss a blessing if you are not there to see that a pastor experiences peace after his fellow pastors kneel to pray with him.

We have a vision! A vision for reaching people for Christ around the world. Our vision is strong and is based on our belief in the power of the risen Lord. This vision will become a reality if we continue to work together. To sum up the past year, Ashe Baptist Association is alive and well!

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou, DOM

PASTOR'S SALARY AND RETIREMENT

1 Cor. 9:14 "Even so hath the Lord ordained that they who preach the Gospel should live of the Gospel."
Gal. 6:6 "Let him that is taught in the Word share with him that teacheth in all good things."

These are only two of the many verses in God's Word that teach us how to provide for the man of God who preaches His Word. I encourage you to study the scripture and see how you and your local church can better provide for your pastor and his family.
The associational office has material to help guide you in this area.
God bless you as you seek to do His will.

Respectfully Submitted,
John Leek

Report to the Associations

BAPTIST HOSPITAL
1989

The past year at Baptist Hospital has been characterized by growth in facilities and personnel, advancement in medical technology and continuation of the spirit of personal concern which springs from the hospital's Christian heritage and its denominational tie.

Occupation of the new North Tower is almost complete, increasing the hospital's bed capacity to 806. Construction of the Clinical Sciences Building is expected to be completed by 1990. The Medical Center Boulevard is currently being moved to make ready for expansion of the Patient/Visitor Parking Deck. Two new helicopter pads, one for the AirCare helicopter and a second for helicopters from other medical centers, will be located on top of the parking deck. The J. Paul Sticht Center on Aging will be built on the approximate site of the current helicopter pad. These new facilities will make it possible not only for our hospital to serve more people but to serve them better.

In recent months the hospital's Level One Trauma Center has seen further development of its critical care transportation system by adding to the helicopter ambulance service its own neonatal ambulance for critically ill infants. The CommView Computer System, developed jointly by the Department of Radiology and A T & T, digitizes images, stores large volumes of data and transmits the images via fiberoptic cable throughout the Medical Center and via satellite to other hospitals without any x-ray film. Some brain tumors can now be successfully treated by implanting a tiny radioactive pellet directly into the tumor. Other types of cancer can be treated by hyperthermia which carefully focuses microwaves to raise temperatures inside a tumor to 102 degrees to 105 degrees Fahrenheit to kill or injure cancer cells. A technique called Mohs Micrographic Surgery allows the removal of skin cancer with minimal damage to normal skin.

These and other advances in patient care attract patients from across the country and around the world. Last year the 22,100 persons admitted to Baptist Hospital came from almost every county in North Carolina, from thirty-five states and from eight foreign countries.

The Department of Pastoral Care continues its ministries to: the patient in the hospital; the family and friends of patients; the medical staff who minister to the patient; the person requesting counseling in our centers in Winston-Salem, Fayetteville, Morganton, Charlotte, Rockingham. North Wilkesboro; the ministers who seek our courses in clinical instruction equipping them for specialized and pastoral ministries.

Added to these are our "Pastors' Sabbath" and "Interim Church" programs, as we work closely with the North Carolina Baptist State Convention in addressing the needs of pastors and churches.

We renew our commitment to the faithful delivery of pastoral care, beginning in our Medical Center and reaching around the world.

Baptist Hospital continues to feel the effect of the health care personnel shortage, especially as it attempts to open new facilities. However, we do not have any beds closed due to shortages. The Code Blue Program in high schools of northwestern North Carolina and the appeal to Baptist youth through Acteens is also creating interest in health care careers.

During the past fiscal year Baptist Hospital received $668,937.39 through the Cooperative Program and $303,133.07 through the Homes and Hospital Offering, including church gifts directly to the hospital. The hospital staff and patients are grateful for the services made possible by these gifts.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jerry Burleson

THE NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION

Annual Report to the Associations
1989

"Strengthening for Greater Service" had special meaning for the trust agency of the Convention during the past year. Noting the progress made during its 69-year history in undergirding the financial support for the Convention, its churches, institutions, and mission causes, the Foundation recommitted itself to greater service to these causes.

With concern that it performs its mission efficiently and that it involves more Baptists effectively in supporting the cause of Christ, the Foundation carefully embarked upon a capital campaign to secure funds for the construction of its own building to house its development and administrative offices.

Since its staffing in the early 1950's, space for the Foundation has been provided in the Baptist Building. With the consistent rapid growth in assets managed and services provided by the Foundation, the current space has become inadequate to properly perform the on-going work of the agency. We are pleased to report that the majority of the funds necessary to construct the new building have been secured. The new building will be erected beside the Baptist Building in Cary and we are hopeful that it will be ready for occupancy by the end of this year.

In engaging in this project, it has been of utmost importance to our Board of Directors and Staff that the on-going responsbilities of the Foundation not be neglected during the campaign. Indeed, the need for increased financial support for Baptist institutions, missions, and other ministries has not diminished, and has remained our first priority. It is essential that more individual Baptists become aware of the possibility of sharing the message of Christ beyond their lifetime. Seeking to fill this role, the Baptist Foundation is the only entity which receives endowment gifts for any and every Baptist cause. Through trust and endowment funds established by individuals, churches, and associations, the principal is invested and income is paid regularly and perpetually to the cause or causes named by the donor.

Total assets of the Foundation is now approaching $17 million, of which $3.8 million was added in 1988 alone, making this the greatest year of growth in the Foundation's history. Last year, $1,258,775 was paid to Baptist work and to individuals designated in charitable remainder-type trusts. This latter agreement provdies for income to be paid to the donor (or other individuals) for a specific period of time and then to charitable causes thereafter. Through this method of

making gifts to Christian causes, the donor is assured that heirs are not neglected and that Christian causes will eventually benefit from the estate.

We are continually grateful for the support of Baptists across the state who support the mission and ministry of the Foundation. We welcome the opportunity to serve.

Respectfully Submitted,
Edwin S. Coates
Executive Director

Local Representative,
Norman Roten

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER

Assocational Report - 1989

After more than 150 years as the Baptist paper serving North Carolina Baptists in particular and Southern Baptists in general, the Biblical Recorder is launching a new era of service and ministry for the decade of the '90s and the 21st Century.

We have just completed a year-long readership survey at substantial cost and investment of time and energy, but we believe it is going to be helpful in charting the course for future service to our family of faith.

Baptists must have a single source of news and information upon which to make decisions and evaluate ministries. The RECORDER is that source; nothing else matches the paper as a single resource of news, information, inspiration and challenge in our mission efforts together.

Competition for reading time is keen. Baptists are facing more and more demands upon their time and resources. The RECORDER is never a luxury; it is a necessity if we are to work together in this complex and demanding age.

We have exciting plans for the future. More feature articles about North Carolinians, more articles geared to youth, family and women. An even greater focus on laypersons will continue after the beginning we made in 1988.

And we are trying to work out the mechanics fo church pages whereby we can save churches time, money and staff work by offering them a page in the RECORDER in lieu of their weekly newsletter. Watch for more details in the RECORDER in the near future concerning this time and money-saving device for the churches (and associations).

We have a large readership now but we want more--that is the purpose of the paper. We serve hundreds of thousands of Baptists but we want to serve even more. More than 60 percent of our news is from North Carolina now, but we want a higher percentage soon!

The most important thing facing us at this point is to get the paper into more Baptist homes than ever before. Will you help us? Not only subscribe to and read the RECORDER yourself but please speak a good word for the paper and urge others to subscribe and read it also. For more information on rates and special plans for subscribing, contact:

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Local Representative,
Mrs. Linda Eller

BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

Michael C. Blackwell, President

Like salmon, Baptist Children's Homes this year struggled upstream to get ahead of the problems that plague America's children and families.

While maintaining group care services in place since 1885, BCH also inaugurated two innovative services in Care House, the first home for teen-age mothers and their babies we know of anywhere and the Philpott Parent Aide Program.

Care House, where five teen-age mothers will learn to parent their babies, was dedicated June 4 during services at Lenoir's Lower Creek Baptist Church. Also dedicated then was the Marguerite Noel Home for Girls, our second behavior change home.

Until Care House, a young girl who had a child often could not return home. If she wanted to bear her child and keep it, the child had to go to one foster care home and the young mother to another until she was of age.

The Noel Home, like Moody Home in Franklin, cares for girls whose difficult behavior prohibits them from living at home or in traditional group care settings.

On June 21 BCH dedicated the Philpott Parent Aide Program in Davidson County. Trained volunteers will establish relationships with homes labeled "at risk" for child abuse. The volunteer will be

counselor and friend, critic and confidant to help families spot and correct areas that lead to child abuse or neglect.

With renewed emphasis on church communication, BCH named two men to act as dierctors of church relations and planned giving. Charles Tanner and Bill Morrow will arrange BCH speakers for your church and help your members with estate planning.

BCH continues to implement "intentionalized services" according to the long-range plan it adopted in April 1988. Peer culture therapy is being utilized on children at Odum Home and Noel Home and is being phased in at Mills Home. This program makes the children more responsible, both for themselves and others in their cottage.

BCH continues to garner popular support with North Carolina Baptists who contributed $1.52 million through the Cooperative Program last year. In the 1988-89 fiscal year, more than $1 million has been received in bequests.

The executive committee of the General Board of the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina this year declined to adopt a report of a special study committee that would have drastically reduced BCH's share of the Cooperative Program. The committee recommended, and the General Board supported, a return of individual special offerings to Baptist Children's Homes, Baptist Retirement Homes and Baptist Hospital. All three social services agencies support such a move, which would eliminate the Homes and Hospital Offering they share. The state convention will vote on that proposal in November.

BCH, which began as an orphange in Thomasville in 1885, operates four group care campuses, eight emergency care homes, a home for unwed mothers, a teen mother/baby home, two behavior change homes for girls, therapeutic camping and a model child development center. It has work in 17 locations across the state, serving more than 1,000 children and families each year.

All campuses and facilities welcome involvement by local churches, RAs, GAs, WMUs and Sunday School departments. Baptist support is strong for children and families and we pray it will continue to strengthen as needs grow every day.

Local Representative,
Mrs. Joann Goodman

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES
OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

1989: IT WAS A VERY GOOD YEAR

This marks the 38th year of ministry by the Baptist Retirement Homes to the Baptist Older Adults of this State.

Chartered in 1951 with the mission of providing residential care for "Aged Saints," the Homes provide care for Older Adults in five locations across the state (Albemarle, Asheville, Hamilton, Winston-Salem, and Yanceyville).

A new continuing care retirement community, Brookridge, located in Winston-Salem will open for operation in the fall of 1989.

Recognizing the growing need for quality residential care for Older Adults, the Board of Trustees of the Retirement Homes has formulated a three-pronged long-range plan to meet this need:

*To work with churches and associations in the development of regional continuing-care retirement communities in the West, the Piedmont, and the East.

*To work with churches and associations in the development of "free-standing" residential housing (independent-living units, assisted-living units, and nursing-care units).

*To work with churches and associations in the development of alternative forms of residential care for Older Adults (Respite Care, Adult Day Care, and Home Health Care).

One of the greatest challenges North Carolina Baptists face as they move into the 21st century is the question of how residential-living situations for Baptist Older Adults are to be provided.

With the support of North Carolina Baptists, the Retirement Homes sees this challenge as a wonderful opportunity for ministry.

Local Representative,
John F. Goodman

1989-89 BROTHERHOOD COMMISSION REPORT

Brotherhood Expansion Continues

The Brotherhood Commission continues to feel the effects of its 1987 program changes that produced a comprehensive missions education package aimed at helping churches involve men and boys in missions.

In October 1988, James H. Smith, Brotherhood Commission president, presented a plan of financial austerity following the production of 31 new books in 1987 and 1988. The production costs had drained the agency's reserves. Smith set a goal of earning $240,000 over expenses in 1988-1989. At the April trustees' meeting, Smith reported that income was already $177,000 ahead of expenses.

Located in Memphis, Tenn., the Brotherhood Commission is pioneering several new aspects of missions education. In May, the first RA University, an in-depth national training event for Royal Ambassador counselors, directors, and committeemen, was held at Rhodes College in Memphis. More than 300 people from across the country attended.

The National Fellowship of Baptist Men, a ministry of the Brotherhood Commission's adult division, continued its expansion of volunteer missions enlistment. In April, NFBM announced the expansion of its concert series, which will endorse up to 200 concert artists to present the story of Southern Baptist missions and recruit volunteers.

The second annual High School Baptist Young Men's Rallies were held in Gatlinburg, Tenn. and Arlington, Texas, with more than 500 attending. High School Baptist Young Men were also represented on the second National Baptist Young Men's Overseas Work Project in Chile during Christmas break. Seven Baptist Young Men from the United States and Canada participated.

Baptist Men served more than 95,000 meals in Mexico following Hurricane Gilbert's destruction. In Jamaica, Baptist Men worked jointly with the Foreign Mission Board to rebuild churches. More than 700 volunteers participated in this nine-month project.

World Missions Conferences were attended by 1.15 million people; 374 volunteered for missions service and 395 made professions of faith. WMCs are administered by the Brotherhood Commission and sponsored by the Home and Foreign Mission Boards, Woman's Missionary Union, and Brotherhood Commission.

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST COLLEGE REPORT - 1989

CAMPBELL	CHOWAN	GARDNER-WEBB	MARS HILL
1887	1848	1905	1856

MEREDITH	WAKE FOREST	WINGATE
1891	1834	1895

Baptists and their colleges have been doing Christian education together for a long, long time. Look at those dates listed with each college above. When they are totaled, the cumulative number of service years for our seven colleges is 807! North Carolina Baptists have grown up with their colleges, so much so that it is difficult to imagine our total mission program without them. During the 1988-89 school year there were 18,534 students and 2,249 faculty and staff engaged in the programs of Baptist colleges.

If you should ask our college leaders what is uppermost on their minds these days, you would get an answer such as this: "Christian education, Baptist students and Cooperative Program support." A sentence or two about each of these will complete this report.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION. There are large and important differences that belong to Baptist colleges. They are smaller, friendlier campuses where Christian community is present and encouraged and where education and the Christian faith are compatible.

BAPTIST STUDENTS. Young people from our churches are encouraged to apply to Baptist colleges. Pastors and parents can help students with their life plans when they guide them toward Baptist schools. Generous student aid and work study programs make it possible for any qualified student to attend a Baptist college.

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM. Your North Carolina Baptist colleges say "Thank You" for the generous dollar support through the Cooperative Program. Baptist dollars buy quality Christian education and make healthy institutions possible.

Local Representative,
Mr. Stewart Scott

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AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

Report to the Southern Baptist Convention

The churches and denominations of the United States are the mainstay of the American Bible Society's worldwide Scripture ministry. Conscious of the outstanding service which the Southern Baptist Convention has provided to the people of the world through your support of this ministry, we are happy to submit this report highlighting some of the Society's activities during 1988.

Opening new ways to the Word for people throughout the world is a challenge which grows in scope and urgency with every passing year. Many of the projects to which we commit ourselves each year are undertaken in faith - faith in God and in the generosity of concerned Christians in this country. The American Bible Society is sincerely grateful for the contributions, totalling $251,951.11, received from your churches during 1988 and draws confidence from knowing that there are Christian communions such as yours who believe in the power of the Word of God and are committed to sharing it with people across the globe. Your partnership with us in the Bible cause enhances our own vision of what can be accomplished in response to the Scripture needs of our world.

Thank You. The General Officers.

Local Representative,
Gary Watson

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

of North Carolina, Inc.

1989 REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS

When the 1989 Session of the General Assembly of North Carolina convened on January 22, the first bills to be introduced were three lottery proposals: one in the Senate and two in the House.

Such gambling legislation has become an annual event for the last six years. However, the pressure for establishing a state-wide lottery has been stronger this time around due to two factors: 1. Virginia has started a lottery; and, 2. Revenues are very tight, and legislators are looking for money to grant state employees and school teachers a pay raise.

When this article was prepared on July 17, all three lottery bills were still in committee.

However, Senator Kenneth Royall of Durham, the introducer of Senate Bill 4, has announced that in the closing days of the leglislature that he will begin a push for his lottery bill. Many close legislative observers believe that he has the votes to get it out of the Senate, but there remains strong opposition in the House.

A lot of prayer, time and energy has been exerted in the current legislative session to defeat any gambling legislation; to prevent any erosion of our liquor laws; and to support efforts to strengthen our drunk driving statutes.

A Legislative Study Committee and the Governor's Highway Saftey Committee held hearings throughout the state in the past year to get citizen input on ways to make our highways safer. As a result of these sessions, a Safe Roads Study proposal was introduced that consisted of the following features: 1. lower the breathalyzer threshold from .10 to .08 for motor vehicles; 2. ban open containers of alcoholic beverages in motor vehicles; 3. increase fines for drunk driving; and 4. establish a .04 standard for operators of commercial vehicles (bus and truck drivers). The House passed the bill, but it's existence now depends upon the action of a House-Senate conference committee.

Yet, with such a busy legislative agenda, the League has assisted in numerous liquor elections across the state.

We are hearing a lot of voices talking about declaring WAR ON DRUGS. U.S. Surgeon General C. Everett Koop has given our nation some words of wisdom: "It isn't ginger ale we're talking about. It's alcohol, the most widely abused drug. In the alleged war on drugs, alcohol enjoys a battlefield exemption. The United States will one day have to choose between alcohol and health..... because we can't have them together."

Yet, the pulpits of America have become silent in so many of our churches concerning this No. 1 addictive drug. May this condemnation not be laid on the steps of the churches of your association.

The Christian Action League stands ready to join with you in the ministry of Applied Christianity as we confront the moral and social evils of today's world.

Joe S. Lennon
President

Coy C. Privette
Executive Director

SOUTHERN BAPTIST ANNUAL MARKETING ASSOCIATION
Month Ending June 1 (Region 1)

MARKETING

STATE NAME: NORTH CAROLINA

ASSOC. CODE	CHURCH/Assoc. NAME	EMP NUMBER	MEMBER NAME	MEMBER NUMBER
ASHE	Ashe Bapt. Assoc.	*320004	WC Ballou	02282800*
ASHE	Bald Mtn. Church	*320401	HJ Pugh	406935000*
ASHE	Big Flatts Church	*320405	CR McCoy	314383100*
ASHE	Bristol Church	*320407	BJ Blevins	043790000
ASHE	First Baptist Ch.	*320441	JK Morris	357005000
ASHE	Fletcher Mem. Ch.	*320445	GD Teague	497535250*
ASHE	Friendly Grove Ch.	*320443	CA Edwards	152709000*
ASHE	Friendship Church	*320411	JM Blevins	043837000*
ASHE	Healing Sprgs. Ch.	*320414	JD Watson	530821250*
ASHE	Laurel Knob Ch.	*320416	JO Rash, Jr.	411916010*
ASHE	Midway Bapt. Ch.	*320444	ER Jones	267298500*
ASHE	Mission Home Ch.	*320421	T. Miller Jr.	345676000*
ASHE	Mt. Olive Ch.	*320448	GW Watson, Sr.	530653000
ASHE	New River Ch.	*320423	JL Warden	528007000*
ASHE	No. Beaver Ch.	*320451	DP Blackburn	041600000*
ASHE	Orion Bapt. Ch.	*320429	JS Leek	296883000*
ASHE	Phoenix Ch.	*320429	KL Hix	232083000*
ASHE	Round Knob Ch.	*320449	JE Owens, Jr.	377942000*
ASHE	Trinity Bapt. Ch.	*320449	P Coffey	101727000*
ASHE	Tuckerdale Ch.	*320438	JL Day	132978500*
ASHE	Wagoner Ch.	*320446	CD Roten	132978500*
ASHE	Warrensville Ch.	*320440	JC Burleson	070651000*
ASHE	Welcome Hme. Ch.	*320442	JR Blevins	04385000*

Asterisk after member number indicates expanded chap.

Association Total: 24

ANNUITY BOARD
REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATIONS 1989

The Annuity Board continues to blaze trails in its effort to "serve those who serve the Lord". The effort put into planning and promoting the Expanded Church Annuity Plan continues to bear amazing results which will multiply manyfold down through the years. Goals set by the Annuity Board trustess for 1989 include:

Developing a long term care plan suitable to Southern Baptist ministers and their families.

Working through the Church Alliance to provide an approved IRA or to restore the tax deductible option of the Voluntary Annuity Plan.

Providing more choices for ministers seeking to meet the needs for family insurance protection.

Continuing to work hard to control health care costs.

Developing materials on financial planning.

Continuing to make churches and ministers aware of retirement and insurance plans.

Significant progress has occurred in meeting many of these goals. A new and vastly improved insurance program is being offered under the name ChurchLife. There will be four plans from which to choose. In addition to other improvements there has been an increase in the amounts of insurance that can be carried out in retirement.

It is astounding to see the growth of the Annuity Board and its ministry to ministers across the Southern Baptist Covention. There were, at the end of March 1989 19,972 annuitants who received $20,246,625. There were 472 recipients of Adopt-An-Annuitant grants, totaling $67,775, and 409 monthly relief grants and 180 monthly expense grants, receiving a total of $142,914. The AB assets at the end of March were $2,460,709,118, most of which belongs to Southern Baptist Ministers who participate in the retirement plans.

Efforts continue to be made which will help churches and ministers have a plan for retirement. Each church is encouraged to be a responsbile employer and to make every effort to see that ministers participate by providing its contribution to the plan for those who serve the Lord in that church. It should be a condition of calling, both for the church and the miniser, that the minister be covered. It is protection - both for the church and the minister.

This is what is happening in North Carolina:

- There have been 27 new members enrolled in the retirement plans during the period April 1 - June 30.
- There have been 61 plan upgrades during this period.
- There are now 2162 North Carolina churches and associations contributing to retirement plans.
- North Carolina has 1892 signed Cooperative Agreements! More than any other state!
- The number of churches participating at the old Plan A level of $33.34 has decreased from 439 to 92.
- The average annuitant in North Carolina receives $249.96 a month, up from $234 last year.
- North Carolina has 3,406 members making contributions to
- Annuity Board retirement plans.
- There are 1,764 annuitants receiving benefits each month in
- North Carolina - $440,929.89 each month!

It is exciting to think about what has been done to help ministers retire with dignity. Strong efforts have been made to make all of our churches (and ministers) aware of the opportunities and the need to act on them.

But there is still so much to be done! Consider these facts:

- Only 64% of our churches are participating in our retirement plans - even after all these years of opportunity.
- Of this 64%, many do not actually make contributions. The minister does this on his own.
- Small contributions make the annuitant's benefits small: In North Carolina
  184 receive less than $50
  493 receive less than $100
  1006 receive less than $200
  1287 receive less than $300

- We have 151 churches that have signed the Cooperative Agreement, but still make no contribution.

- We have 457 churches that are making contributions but still have not signed the Cooperative Agreement.

Suffice it is to say that there is a great challenge still before us help ministers prepare for the future and to help churches be responsible employers.

Let's keep up the good work.

Jim Lambert, Administrative Associate
for Minister Support
Baptist State Convention of North Carolina

Local Representative,
Ervel Jones

EVANGELISM

There is always reason to praise the Lord. The good news of souls being won to Christ is the best reason I know. The churches of the Ashe Baptist Association report a total of 128 baptisms for the past year.

In addition to evangelistic efforts in each church, joint effort through the association brought about two evangelistic events. The Evangelism Conference held in the late winter and the Crusade held last month at the Friendship Church. Many Commitments were made at the Crusade with several responding to the invitation. Brother Greg Mathis was a blessing to all attending.

I would like to thank the Evangelism Committee for their efforts in the conference this year. Also thanks for those helping with music, labor and plans for the crusade. Special thanks to Brother Bill Ballou for his encouragement and work toward evangelistic efforts in our association.

The evangelistic emphasis for the coming years will be the 1990 Simultaneous Revivals to be held in the Spring. As plans are made please pray and plan to participate. Expect something good to happen.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jimmy Warden, Evangelism Chm.

Baptist State Convention of N.C.
Roy J. Smith, General Secretary/Treasurer
Division of Stewardship, D.D. Martin, Jr., Director

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM RECEIPTS & SPECIAL OFFERINGS

Gifts through the Cooperative Program actually received by business office of the Baptist State Convention for the period listed below.

Check this with your church records and please report any difference to D.D. Martin, Jr., PO Box 1107, Cary, N.C. 27512

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FROM THE CHURCHES FOR BAPTIST CAUSES SHOWN AS DESIGNATED.

JAN. 1 THROUGH JUNE 30, 1989

CHURCHES NAME	CURRENT QUARTER	TOTAL TO DTE. ABOVE	TO DATE LAST YR.	CURRENT QUARTER	TO DATE ABOVE
ASHE					
APPLE GROVE	.00	20.00	20.00	.00	60.00
BALD MTN.	547.52	1,083.40	743.16	425.89	1,159.89
BAPT. HOME	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
BEAVER CREEK	.00	.00	.00	132.00	132.00
BETHEL	.00	.00	50.00	.00	.00
BIG FLATTS	70.00	70.00	25.00	.00	.00
BIG LAUREL	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
BLUE RIDGE	.00	.00	.00	.00	200.00
BRISTOL	326.15	679.13	906.08	.00	.00
BUFFALO	.00	.00	.00	605.00	1,338.00
CALVARY	.00	.00	60.00	140.00	283.00
CLIFTON	97.99	185.40	103.25	.00	250.00
FARMER MEM.	.00	.00	.00	.00 .00	
FLETCHER MEM.	2,405.38	4,539.33	3,678.83	2,265.40	5,267.40
FRIENDLY GROVE	753.50	1,353.50	1,210.00	3,191.55	6,348.25
FRIENDSHIP	1,291.78	1,776.03	1,095.47	1,925.48	2,202.13
GLENDALE SPRGS.	.00	.00	.00	.00	100.00
GRASSY CREEK	303.00	573.00	403.00	215.00	215.00
HEALING SPRGS.	321.58	607.10	581.17	464.94	907.76
LANDMARK	500.00	750.00	896.06	550.00	1,550.00
LAUREL KNOB	112.59	222.02	265.05	433.75	543.18
LIBERTY GROVE	200.00	500.00	600.00	.00	2,400.00
LITTLE HELTON	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
MIDWAY	.00	3,309.93	1,595.40	1,271.85	3,858.44
MISSION HOME	430.23	798.57	552.51	330.00	1,245.00
MT. OLIVE	247.41	247.41	.00	.00	241.00

NEW RIVER	684.94	1,388.51	1.057.80	347.00	2,324.98
NORTH BEAVER	188.00	322.00	368.00	254.00	404.00
OAK HILL	.00	.00	.00	177.20	355.53
OBIDS	35.00	35.00	.00	.00	.00
OLD FIELDS	900.00	900.00	375.00	1,382.00	1,382.00
ORION	900.00	900.00	375.00	1,382.00	1,382.00
PEAK VALLEY	592.53	1,143.01	1.108.75	122.19	1,288.19
PHOENIX	100.00	100.00	150.00	.00	100.00
PILOT MTN.	225.00	450.00	450.00	110.00	510.00
PINE SWAMP	.00	100.00	200.00	.00	.00
PLEASANT HOME	105.00	311.55	183.00	141.00	182.31
PLEASANT VALLEY	.00	.00	.00	100.00	100.00
PROSPERITY	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
ROUND KNOB	85.46	157.29	131.78	.00	.00
SABBATH HOME	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
STURGILLLS	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
THREE FORKS	.00	.00	400.00	.00	.00
TRINITY	1,550.92	2,946.94	2,419.09	679.81	2,279.86
TUCKERDALE	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
WAGONER	95.52	95.52	76.84	.00	.00
WARRENSVILLE	.00	198.86	450.00	.00	945.00
WELCOME HOME	410.75	805.90	942.76	.00	.00
WJ FIRST	3,306.94	5,556.94	7,939.48	3.040.06	7,548.09
OTHER THAN CH.	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
TOTAL	15,887.24	31.326,34	29,037.48	18,304.12	45,720.93

BAPTIST CAMP REPORT

It has been a good year for our camp. The camp has been used much by our churches as well as churches and associations beyond our associational boundary. Churches of Ashe Association gave $4,403.72 this year and gifts from individuals, memorials, sister churches and associations totaled $1,377.00.

Many of our churches use the camp for fellowship dinners following Sunday worship while others bring their youth for a week-end stay. Many of the functions of our Associational Youth Council are held at the camp.

During the past year vinyl was installed on the eaves of the building. Friendly Grove Church donated a dehumidifier for the basement and immediate plans call for the painting of the building. Thank you for using and supporting our camp.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jack Ashley

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Friendship Church conducted a Backyard Bible Club in the "David Shatley Mobile Home Park on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday (July 24, 26 & 27).

They had 15 enrolled and discovered 10 prospects for their Sunday School. They do hope to have several Backyard Bible Clubs next year.

CHURCHES REPORTING

Bald Mountain	Landmark	Orion
Bethel	Laurel Knob	Phoenix
Big Flatts	Little Helton	Pine Swamp
Bristol	Midway	Pleasant Home
Buffalo	Mission Home	Round Knob
Fletcher Memorial	Mount Olive	Trinity
Friendly Grove	New River	Wagoner
Friendship	North Beaver	Warrensville
Grassy Creek	Obids	West Jefferson First
Healing Springs	Old Fields	

Number of Schools Reported	29
Final Enrollment for churches reporting	2142
Average Attendance for 29 churches	1740
Preschoolers Enrolled (Birth-5 years)	337
Children Enrolled (6-11 years)	604
Youth Enrolled (12-17 years)	408
Adults Enrolled	647
Professions of Faith	40
Pupils not in any Sunday School	150
Parents not in any Sunday School	176
Cost of Curriculum Materials	$5,409.00
All other VBS Expenses	$3,095.77
VBS Offering through Cooperative Program	$2,765.85

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou,
Assn. VBS Director

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

It has been my priviliege to serve as Associational Sunday School Director. I have been the student most of the time.

There is much that is offered to help the teacher, director, pastor and church in Sunday School work. Most churches have benefited from the resources that have been given to them.

There will be a "Small Church Sunday School Training Revival", November 3-4. This is for all Sunday School workers in the association and churches. This will be led by Phil Stone from the Sunday School Department of the State Convention.

There are 3,568 enrolled in Sunday School in our churches with an average attendance of 2,417. That means that 67% of the enrollment attends. This is a good average but our total membership of churches in 7,277 which means that only 35% of our membership attends Sunday School. Where do we start? AT HOME!

Only one-third of our church enrollment attends Sunday School. If we baptize them we are commanded to teach them.

Teaching happens when there is: 1. Prayer
2. Preparation
3. Participation
4. Propagation

Respectfully Submitted,
Ervel Jones

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

It always brings joy to make a report that is positive in nature, and the report for 1988-89 is positive. Of the forty-nine churches which make up the Ashe Baptist Association, thirty-one were involved in the ongoing ministry of our Southern Baptist Convention. There was an increase in our giving to both the cooperative program and designated gifts.

In the area of cooperative giving, our churches increased their giving from twenty-nine thousand, seven-hundred, twenty dollars, and ninety-three cents to designated areas of ministry.

This increase in giving indicates that the level of commitment and understanding of the cooperative program is of a positive nature. Time and experience have taught us that the "Cooperative Program" of the Southern Baptist Convention is one of the best managed and

most productive programs ever devised to reach the world for Christ. Let us all give time and consideration to OUR part in this great enterprise.

Respectfully Submitted,
Charles A. Edwards
Stewardship Chairman

CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

The Christian Action League is a voluntary organization composed of Christians and concerned citizens brought together to oppose those destructive influences in society which contribute to the low level of public morality existing today. The League is dedicated to strengthening laws against gambling, alcohol, drugs, and commercialized vice in its many forms while emphasizing the basic importance of spiritual and moral values to the developement and growth of the individual, the local community and the nation as a whole.

Beverage alcohol is today the primary agent in the destruction of homes and family life. The alcohol industry promotes juvenile delinquency, vice, crime, and is a leading cause of child abuse and highway accidents. Statistics indicate that 400,000 deaths yearly are directly related to the consumption of alcohol. Medical and legal experts describe alcohol as a "getaway drug" which leads to the abuse of more deadly and lethal drugs such as cocaine. The abuse of drugs among the twelve to twenty year old group is now reaching epidemic proportions. The leading cause of death among adolescents is alcohol related accidents. Alcohol related injuries are exacting a heavy financial burden of the American taxpayer while the cost in human terms is incalcuable. For all these reasons, the League strongly opposes all efforts to legalize the sale of alcoholic beverages in Ashe County.

The Christian Action League of Ashe County is concerned with the growing support for government sponsored gambling in North Carolina. The League urges Christians to oppose a state lottery and pari-mutual gambling in our state because it is destructive of families and opens the door for organized crime and vice to come into our state.

The Christian Action League of Ashe County in association with the North Carolina League urges individuals and churches in our county to inform public officials of our opposition to the sale of beverage alcohol and liquors in North Carolina and to voice our concern with efforts to legalize pari-mutual gambling in our state. Additional goals and objectives for 1988-89 include the following:

1. Inclusion of warning labels on all alcoholic beverages.
2. Elmination of alcoholic advertisements in the media.
3. Prohibit the local sale of beer and wine through a referendum.
4. Elimination of pornographic elements in the media.
5. Lobby against state sponsored gambling.
6. To maintain Christian values in our community.

To attain these goals, we need the active cooperation of all those individuals who wish to promote Christian values and morals in our community.

We invite all like-minded citizens to join us in furthering the course of civic and social righteousness and promoting the highest standards of Christian morality in the lives of our people.

Respectfully Submitted,
Delmas Parker

IN MEMORIAM

It is altogether fitting and proper for this association to pause a few minutes and pay tribute to those who have been called to join the Assembly Of The Redeemed in Heaven. May we ever remember our deceased friends who took heed to what the Master said in John 11:25-26, when He said, "I am the resurrection and the life; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die."

Do not stand at my grave and weep;
I am not there.
I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow;
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain;
I am the gentle autumn's rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush,
I am the swift uplifting rush
Of quiet birds in circled flight.
I am the soft star that shines at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry.
I am not there;
I did not die.

BETHEL - Mr. Kyle Jarvis
BLUE RIDGE - T.R. Greer, Odell Hartzog, Jr., Mrs. Ruth Watson, Agatha Parsons
BRISTOL - Charles Franklin Darnell
BUFFALO - Paige Coldiron, Mrs. Eddie Arnold Lewis, Mrs. Madge Lewis
CLIFTON - Mrs. Linda Jones
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mr. Hicks Hash
FRIENDLY GROVE - Mrs. Lois Severt, Mrs. Carrie Baldwin, Ida Miller, Earl Weaver (Deacon).
FRIENDSHIP - Lynch Marsh, Leasin Ratcliff, Mrs. Gussie James, Mrs. Johnsie Dixon, Mr. Brantley Burkette (Deacon).
GRASSY CREEK - Mrs. Ruby Wood
LANDMARK - Thomas D. Blevins, Jr.
LAUREL KNOB - Mr. Stanton Wheeler
LIBERTY GROVE - Mr. Clayton Richardson
LITTLE HELTON - Mrs. Dora Waddell, Mrs. Fannie Ball, Mr. Howard Adams, Mr. Joe Walker
MIDWAY - Mr. Paul Phillips, Mr. Wayne Taylor, Mrs. Opal Ball.
MISSION HOME - Mr. Paul Goodman (Deacon), Mr. Foster Brown, Mr. Lawrence Brown
MOUNT OLIVE - Mr. Joe Surber
NEW RIVER - Mrs. Edith Arnold, Mr. Willie Caldwell, Mr. Ray Arnold.
NORTH BEAVER - Mrs. Jean McNeill
OAK HILL - Mr. Paul Blevins (Deacon).
OBIDS - Mrs. Hazel Bare, Mrs. Verdie Parsons.
OLD FIELDS - Mrs. Ruby Johnson Hartzog.
ORION - Mr. Jones Dillard, Mr. Bobby Severt, Mr. Paul Severt.
PHOENIX - Mrs. Dottie Howell Barr, Mr. Claybourn Phillips.
PILOT MOUNTAIN - Holly Tugaman

PINE SWAMP - Mr. Ben Benedict
PLEASANT HOME - Mr. Lester Young, Mr. Dave Rutherford, Miss Vern Debord.
PLEASANT VALLEY - Mr. Eli Debord, Mr. Brice Denny (Deacon), Rev. Walter Day.
STURGILLS - Mr. Banner Powers
THREE FORKS - Mrs. Eva Lewis, Mrs. Ruby Mahala
TRINITY - Miss Jennifer Phillips
WAGONER - Mr. Edd Liddle, Mrs. Sue Sheets
WARRENSVILLE - Mrs. Bonnie Graybeal
WELCOME HOME - Mrs. Elsie Greene
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Mr. Hester Lewis, Mrs. Ella Black Woodie, Mr. Robert H. Davis

STATE MISSIONS

NORTH CAROLINA IS A MISSION FIELD. Our 100 counties comprise a true mission challenge to our churches, associations, state convention and its institutions and agencies. No longer can we take for granted our "Baptist heartland." No longer can we assume that we have enough churches, enough ministries, enough missionaries, enough money. More than three million of our state's six million residents claim no membership in a church, anybody's church. The numbers aren't much better within our own denomination. Of our 1.1 million members on the roll, less than one-third of that number attend worship services and Bible study on a "good" Sunday.
Enrollment in our church program organizations declines more years than it grows. There were 100,000 more people enrolled in Sunday School 20 years ago than today. We're not keeping up, and we're certainly not growing.

There is also a growing challenge in our direct mission ministries programs. Foreign nations have literally come to live on our doorstep with hundreds and thousands of people of different lands now calling North Carolina home. Migrant and seasonal farm workers can now be found in virtually every section of our state. There are greater challenges from people with special handicaps like the deaf, the blind, the mentally retarded. And there are new groups in need of our ministry - like those who abuse drugs and alcohol, those who are homeless, those who live without much hope.

THIS IS STATE MISSIONS. Our churches, associations, state convention coming together to reach these seemingly unreachables. State Missions is Walter Jones teaching a Seminary Extension course in a correctional institute. State Missions is Aima Helton going on volunteer mission projects from Alaska to Uruguay. State Missions is Shirlowe Powell leading in a lay revival weekend. State Missions is

Amy Perez working with Hispanics in Charlotte. State Missions is Jesse Bowman; he's the first pastor of the First Baptist Church of the deaf in North Carolina. State Missions is Woodie Dozer and Martin Harris - they fix things for people in Fayetteville who need help.

State Missions is scholarships at Baptist Colleges for Baptist students and scholarships for Baptist young people at Camp Caraway. (Royal Ambassadors) and Camp Mundo Vista (Girls In Action and Acteens). State missions is supporting Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute and North Carolina Baptist Assembly (Caswell). State Missions is supporting the Christian Action League.

State Missions is supporting Associational Missions. Almost 10 percent of the money received (9.5 percent) is returned to the association from where it was collected for that association to use the money in whatever mission projects it so chooses.

State Missions is all of these ministries, these people, these concerns, these institutions. State Missions is our way of responding to the Great Commission in our part of the world. State Missions is our way of changing lives.

Local Representative,
Wayne Jones

CHURCH MUSIC REPORT

With regard to the music used in our church services, may I make the following observations and comments?

Music is very important in worship. Many times the music and songs used before the minister's message determines to a great extent how well the message is received.

Music can soothe, or it can agitate. It can lift one to heights of joy, or it can plunge one to depths of despair. It can be used to draw a lost person to the Saviour, or it can be one of the Devil's most effective tools to destroy the souls of men. Yes, music is very important, and most especially in our churches.

As director of Congregational Singing in our association, I would appeal, most strongly to our choir directors to take their responsibility very seriously. This does not mean that all churches should use the same music. Neither does it mean that I could tell a particular church what music to use. However, we as choir directors have the grave responsibility of studying our particular situation and selecting music through God's leadership, that will minister to our people.

Some music does little more than entertain us in much the same way that our favorite sports team would. There is also music that reaches deep inside our being to create within us a desire to worship Almighty God.

As music people in our churces, let's commit ourselves honestly, sincerely and prayerfully to a PLANNED AND PREPARED PROGRAM OF MUSIC in the coming year.

I trust that we will all prayerfully select and prepare the hymns and "Special" music to be used in our regular church ministry, and in the "Here's Hope Revivals" scheduled for the Spring of 1990 in all Southern Baptist Churches.

Yours, In Christian Love,
Dewey Campbell

SEMINARY EXTENSION

A total of 94 active Seminary Extension Centers and branches were reported this past year. North Carolina continues to have the largest Seminary Extension program in the nation.

Southern Baptists are committed to education, especially the education of persons preparing for service in Christian Ministry. Traditionally this has involved the support of colleges, universities, and theological seminaries located around the country.

For more than thirty years, however, this support also has extended to the nontraditional approaches expressed through the Seminary Extension Department. The department's network of some 400 extension centers and its Independent Study Institute (for correspondence study) have brought theological education opportunities close to home for many of the 17,000 Southern Baptist pastors without seminary training.

Two convictions underlie the growth and development of Seminary Extension: (1) In today's world, every minister must continue to learn as long as he is in active service. The individual who stops learning immediately begins to lose some of his effectiveness. (2) Every minister, regardless of the level of his formal background, shoul have an equal opportunity to receive theological training. The Seminary Extension Department is committed to being an instrument for making this learning happen.

Our local Extension Center will be offering some courses soon. I hope you will prayerfully consider enrolling for the nine-week courses.

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou

PREACHER'S CONFERENCE

The "Preacher's Conference" which meets on the 2nd Saturday in each month continues to be inspiring and uplifting to those who attend. The preaching, fellowship, and sharing proves to be a source of strength to those present.

I would like to encourage pastors, ministers and any interested lay persons to meet with us each conference. For this past year we have had an average attendance of 11 each month.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as moderator of the conferences these past two years. Rev. Claybern Roten is our new moderator.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Billy Joe Blevins

WMU REPORT

The Woman's Missionary Union is comprised of preschoolers, girls, and women who learn about missions, support missions through prayer and giving, and are involved in missions through personal witnessing and mission action.

Members of Woman's Missionary Union are part of a serious, challenging, and vital program of work. They are learning of needs and ways to meet those needs. They are becoming aware of opportunities for serve at home and around the world. They are sharpening their skills, thus becoming more able church leaders.

Women of all ages and life situations are taking advantage of the flexibility of the program, are choosing involvement in groups according to their interests and needs. Such groups as BIBLE Study, Current Missions, Round Table Book Club, Mission Action and Personal Witnessing and prayer are choices.

Woman's Missionary Union knows that missions is too good to keep within one organization of the church. Thus one of the primary goals of the organization is to give all church members opportunities to know what God is doing around the world and how all can have a part in His great work. This is done through churchwide studies, special events and churchwide participation in the Weeks of Prayer and special offerings.

The 1989-90 Emphasis is - IN HIS NAME: REACH, TEACH, TOUCH! The first word in REACH. All WMU members are to REACH not only people for Christ but also church members who are now involved in missions. We can accomplish this by reaching the lost with the gospel through our personal witnessing efforts. We can

increase our reaching power through enlisting new members into our missions organizations.

The second word is TEACH. This challenges WMU leaders to TEACH members to:

see the needs around them and recognize the opportunities which are there;

change negative attitudes about missions to positive ones;

provide the stimuli for motivating people to be involved in missions.

The third word is TOUCH which challenges WMU members to touch people in need. We are asking ourselves to look at people who are victims of a social or moral problem and determine actions we can take to eliminate the problems and help the people involved.

Look at the emphasis objectives and see how each age level relates.

1. Each church will recognize the importance of youth in missions education and will focus on Acteens and their leaders.
2. Each church member will be challenged to engage in personal witnessing.
3. WMU Members will be encouraged to participate in preventive and/or corrective actions aimed at lessing the problems which victimize people.

Individuals, churches, and associations are asked to be involved in their locale in reaching people for Christ.

Jesus modeled compassion and concern. Look at what He said in Matthew 25:40: "And the King shall answer and say unto them, verily I say unto you, Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me." This is the WMU watchword chosen for 1989-90. It provides a scriptual foundation for the emphasis.

Our motiviation is to minister unto Christ, to follow His example as in REACHing people for Him and for our organizations. Our response is, through WMU organizations, to TEACH and motivate people to see needs, recognize opportunities, and change attitudes in order to TOUCH PEOPLE IN NEED. And we are to do it all IN HIS NAME.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Ruth Calhoun, Assn. WMU Director

CHURCH TRAINING REPORT

"And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some evangelist; and some, pastors and teachers; For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ." Eph. 4:11-12

In this passage of scripture, Paul outlines the discipleship program for a local church. God calls out the church leaders who have the responsibility to equip the people of God with the foundational training and special skills required to do the work of ministry. This ministry is the work of the church. The church needs to provide discipleship training for all its members from the youngest to the oldest. The church is to neglect no one in the never ending lack of training.

Paul had one magnificent obsession, and that was to be like Jesus. This must be our aim - unto the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ.

Let us "rejoice and give thanks" North Carolina Church Training enrollment was up 2.5% last year, a gain of 3,231. Plan now to help make 1989-90 the greatest year of discipleship training in the history of your church.

Associational Church Training "M" NIGHT" was held on October 2, 1988 with the Midway Baptist Church. The attendance was very good with all churches having Church Training represented. The Midway church was awarded the banner for the best average attendance for the year and the Mission Home church took the banner for the most people present for "M" NIGHT".

The Friendship Church has formed their first Master Life Disciple Group. The class has 7 people who have committed themselves to 26 weeks of study. They meet each Sunday evening from 5:30 to 7:30. Mrs. Vicki Blevins, wife of the pastor is teaching the course.

Respectfully Submitted,
Gwen Elliott, Assn. Church Training Dir.

TIME/PLACE/PREACHER REPORT

The One-Hundred Fourth Annual Session of the Ashe Baptist Association will meet with the Fletcher Memorial Baptist Church on Friday, August 17 beginning at 2 o'clock.

The Big Flatts Baptist Church will host on Saturday, August 18 beginning at 9 A.M.

Bill Ballou will deliver the Associational Sermon on Friday afternoon about 5:30 P.M.

Rev. Gary Teague will serve as alternate speaker.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Garrett Mahaffey, Chm.
Mr. Jerry South
Mr. Thomas Elliott

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Be it therefore resolved that we the messengers of the one hundred third annual meeting of the Ashe Baptist Association express our appreciation to the Liberty Grove and Friendship Churches for providing our meeting places; also, to the ministers and lay persons to these congregations for preparing and serving such delicious meals.

Be if further resolved that we extend our thanks to those who served as leaders in preparing the agency, book of reports and meaningful worship throughout the session; namely, our Director of Missions, Rev. Bill Ballou; secretary, Mrs. Jeannie McNeill; moderator, Rev. David Blackburn; music director and pianist, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Campbell; and the various other state and local leaders who joined us in carrying out our mission.

Be it further resolved that our records reflect the congenial and caring manner in which ideas were shared, proposals were offered, and decisions made. Truly, a Christ-like Spirit.

Respectfully submitted,
Rev. Ken Morris, Chairman
Rev. Joe Riley Blevins
Mrs. Cindy Davis
RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS
REV. WILLIAM C. (BILL) BALLOU
P.O. Box 297
JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES	County	Pastor Y/N	Year pastor came	Year organized as a church	Location code	Two Sunday services Y/N	Baptisms under 6 yrs. of age	Baptisms 6-8 yrs. of age	Baptisms 9-11 yrs. of age	Baptisms 12-17 yrs. of age	Baptisms 18-29 yrs. of age	Baptisms 30-59 yrs. of age	Baptisms 60 yrs. & over	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost(by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members
APPLE GROVE	Earl Roten, Rt. 3, Box 260, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1889	1	Y	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	78	27	107
BALO MOUNTAIN	Jack Pugh, P.O. Box 1377, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1984	1870	1	Y	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	3	2	2	189	64	253
BAPTIST HOME	Wayne Roark, Rt. 1, Box 182, Creston, NC 28618	Ashe																		
BEAVER CREEK	Thomas Shatley, Rt. 1, Box 234, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	Y	1985	1890	1	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3			
BETHEL	Ross Harless, Rt.2, Box 130, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1968	1851	1	Y	0	0	0	3	4	0	0	7	6	1	85	20	105
BIG FLATTS	Charlie McCoy, P.O. Box 128, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	Y	1983	1905	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	73	35	108
BIG LAUREL	Roger Sheets, Rt. 2 Box 470, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe		1984	1880	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	12	23
BLUE RIDGE	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2, Box 380, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1968	1889	1	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	22	26	48
BRISTOL	Billy Joe Blevins, Rt. 2, Box 84, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	Y	1973	1888	2	Y	0	4	3	1	0	0	0	8	3	4	223	46	269
BUFFALO	Johnny Goodman, Rt. 1, Box 113B, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1978	1868	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	11	132	67	199
CALVARY	Ray Ham, Rt. 1, Box 582, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1960	3	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	32	0	32
CLIFTON	Larry Powers, Rt. 1 Box 66-A, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1988	1891	1	Y	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	3	5	164	92	236
FARMERS MEMORIAL	Anion Cole, Rt. 2, Box 127, Lansing, NC 28643																			
FLETCHERS MEMORIAL	Gary Teague, P.O. Box 65, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1984	1954	3	Y	0	0	3	0	1	6	0	10	12	3	358	60	418
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles Edwards, P.O. Box 1640, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1987	1945	1	Y	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	3	6	12	184	100	284
FRIENDSHIP	Johnny Blevins, P.O. Box 881, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1988	1880	1	Y	0	1	5	1	3	0	0	10	8	6	316	44	360
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Jerry Winkler, Box 30, Irongate, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	Y	1988	1914	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	7	106	74	180
GRASSY CREEK	Kermit Goodman, Gap Creek Estates, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y		1929	2	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	4	98	62	160

HEALING SPRINGS	Oean Watson, Rt. 1, Box 77, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Ashe	Y	1984	1884	1	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	117	57	174
LANOMARK	Oavid Testerman, P.O. 8ox 1300, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1856	1	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	147	145	292
LAUREL KNO8	Jimmy Rash, Rt. 1, Box 326, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1984	1912	1	Y	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	3	0	2	80	25	105
LIBERTY GROVE	Harvey Presnell, Rt. 3, Box 650, Banner Elk, NC 28604	Ashe	Y	1986	1915	1	Y	0	1	2	0	2	1	0	6	1	5	129	60	189
LITTLE HELTON	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1, Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1985	1923	1	N	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	3	0	5	69	43	112
MIOWAY	Ervel Jones, Rt. 3 8ox 722, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1985	1953	1	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	9	186	65	251
MISSION HOME	Jack Miller, Rt. 3, Box 178, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1971	1892	2	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	122	46	168
MOUNT OLIVE	Gary Watson, Rt. 1, Box 71, Oeep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y	1986	1941	1	Y	0	1	4	0	2	0	0	6	1	1	53	9	62
NEW RIVER	Jimmy Warden, Rt. 1, Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	Ashe	Y	1976	1885	1	N	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	4	0	11	94	134	228
NORTH BEAVER	Oavid Blackburn, Rt. 1, Box 597, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	Y	1979	1943	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	99	43	142
OAK HILL	Garrett Mahaffey, Rt. 1, 8ox 196, Todd, NC 28684	Ashe	Y	1984	1927	1	N	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	2	3	93	68	161
OBIOS	Earl Sheets, Sr., Rt. 1 Box 854, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1988	1892	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	28	29	57
OLO FIELOS	8ill 8urchette, Rt. 3, Box 246, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1803	1	Y	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	4	2	1	82	14	96
ORION	John Leek, 302 Quail Hollow Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1983	1911	1	N	0	0	0	5	3	2	0	10	5	7	158	16	174
PEAK VALLEY	Bill Oay, Rt. 2, 8ox 280, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1984	1882	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	10	17
PHOENIX	Rex Eldreth, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	N		1908	1	N	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	3	111	40	151
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Gwen Oay, Rt. 1, Box 23-8, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Wat.	Y	1988	1886	1	Y	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	3	2	0	87	3	90
PINE SWAMP	Gary Watson, Rt. 1, Box 71, Oeep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y	1983	1948	1	N	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	5	1	51	20	71
PLEASANT HOME	Marvin Smith, P.O. Box 39, Oeep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y	1987	1870	1	Y	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	3	1	4	71	44	115
PLEASANT VALLEY	Gwen Oay, Rt. 1 8ox 23-B, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Ashe	Y	1988	1929	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	47	59	106
PROSPERITY	Elige Greer, Rt. 1, Box 269-A, Creston, NC 28615																			
ROUNO KNOB	J. E. Owens, 308 N. Main Stree, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1983	1940	1	N	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	77	32	110
SABBATH HOME	Open Field																			
STURGILLS	Lloyd Oay, Rt. 3, Box 194, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1978	1933	1	Y	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	91	40	131
THREE FORKS	Chris Goodman, 943 N. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	N		1835	1	N	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2	2	2	59	59	118
TRINITY	Paul Coffey, P.O. Box 105, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Wat.	Y	1988	1975	1	Y	0	1	2	1	2	1	0	7	6	9	200	18	218
TUCKERDALE	Lloyd Day, Rt. 3, Box 194, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1984	1915	1	N	0	1	3	3	0	1	0	8	2	0	140	30	170
WAGONER	Claybern Roten, Rt. 4, Box 521, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659	Ashe	Y	1986	1949	1	Y	0	0	0	2	1	2	0	5	0	5	97	20	117
WARRENSVILLE	Jerry Burleson, P.O. Box 97, Warrensville, NC 28693	Ashe	Y	1977	1929	2	Y	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	4	1	6	167	64	231
WELCOME HOME	Joe Riley Blevins, Rt. 1 Box 272, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	Y	1988	1935	1	Y	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	6	92	78	170
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Ken Morris, P.O. Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1973	1916	3		0	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	2	9	364	46	410
	TOTALS							**0**	**11**	**38**	**25**	**26**	**13**	**2**	**127**	**99**	**168**	**5,189**	**2,046**	**7,218**

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS
MR. BERNARD BARE
410 MARTIN STREET
JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll enrollment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool enrollment (Birth through 5 years)	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Young Adult enrollment -Single (18-29 yrs. or HS grad. through 29)	Young adult enrollment - Married (18-29 yrs or H.S. grad. through 29)	Adult enrollment - (30-59 years)	Senior adult enrollment (60 and over)	Adults away enrollment	Homebound enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	Number in Outreach Bible Study groups	Weekly evangelistic visitation Y = yes N = No	Number ethnic Sunday School members	Church VBS enrollment	Mission VBS enrollment	Backyard Bible Club enrollment
APPLE GROVE	James Howell, Rt. 2, Box 60, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	4	5	6	2	3	12	6	0	0	0	0	38	38	0	N	0	0	0	0
BALD MOUNTAIN	Harold Wyatt, Rt. I 8ox 636, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	8	10	7	7	20	33	17	0	0	2	0	104	69	0	N	0	57	0	0
BAPTIST HOME	(No letter received)																				
BEAVER CREEK	Dennis Watson, Rt. 1, 8ox 120, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	1	5	2	3	4	9	6	0	0	0	0	30	24	0	N	0	20	0	0
BETHEL	Brian Grogan, Rt. I, Todd, NC 28684	5	4	7	14	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	102	61	0	Y	0	0	0	0
BIG FLATTS	Edward Hash, 103 Airport Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	7	4	11	3	6	23	12	0	0	2	0	68	44	0	N	1	36	0	0
BIG LAUREL	Glyda Roten, Rt. 2, 8ox 140, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	0	2	0	4	5	0	0	2	0	14	6	0	N	0	9	0	0
BLUE RIDGE	James Watson, Rt. 2, 8ox 324, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	29	0	0	2	0	24	20	0	N	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Jerry Severt, Rt. 2, Box 44, Lansing, NC 28643	0	10	11	10	3	18	36	30	0	0	3	0	118	84	0	Y	0	112	0	0
BUFFALO	Douglas Eller, Rt. 1, Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	6	10	9	5	10	20	20	0	0	6	0	90	83	0	N	0	105	0	0
CALVARY	Bobby Lambert, Church Ave., West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	3	2	2	2	8	5	0	0	4	0	32	26	0	N	0	28	0	0
CLIFTON	Edd Miller, Rt. 2, 8ox 40-A, Creston, NC 28615	0	7	6	8	8	2	27	5	0	0	1	0	64	55	0	N	0	0	0	0
FARMERS MEMORIAL	(No letter received)																				
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Dan 8are, P.O. 8ox 186, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	12	19	17	6	27	55	40	5	0	3	0	186	135	5	N	0	170	0	0
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charlie Severt, Rt. 3, Box 457, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	4	16	9	13	14	62	43	0	0	5	0	168	89	0	Y	0	63	0	0
FRIENDSHIP	Kyle 8all, Rt. 3, 8ox 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	9	7	15	0	17	0	30	0	0	2	0	79	75	0	N	0	102	0	0
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Larry Elliott, 308 Sunnyside Dr., Jefferson, NC 28640	3	6	5	5	5	8	22	6	0	0	10	0	70	65	0	N	0	55	0	0
GRASSY CREEK	Dewey Cox, Rt. 1, 8ox 81, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	2	5	7	4	4	30	9	0	0	0	0	61	0	0	N	0	31	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Charles Phipps, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	1	8	7	3	2	17	10	4	0	0	9	0	61	60	0	N	0	63	0	0
LANDMARK	Glen Davis, Rt. 2, Box 553B, Lansing, NC 28643	4	10	7	12	2	5	29	35	0	0	6	0	110	80	0	N	0	103	0	0
LAUREL KNOB	Fred Goodman, Rt. 1, Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	2	2	8	8	6	0	6	0	0	0	7	0	39	40	0	N	0	50	0	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Kermit Miller, Star Route, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	5	12	10	10	8	26	17	0	0	3	0	91	65	0	N	0	0	0	0
LITTLE HELTON	Kevin Jones, Rt. 1 Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	0	8	5	3	4	18	20	0	0	5	0	58	35	0	N	0	64	0	0
MIDWAY	Dwight Furches, Rt. 3, Box 149, West Jefferson, NC 28694	5	9	22	25	5	6	45	27	0	0	4	0	148	88	0	Y	0	115	0	0
MISSION HOME	Bill Gentry, Rt. 1, Box 251, Todd, NC 28684	1	7	10	15	7	6	27	26	0	0	3	0	102	83	0	N	0	90	0	0
MOUNT OLIVE	David Surber, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	2	2	5	7	7	4	12	7	0	4	5	0	50	37	0	N	0	40	0	0
NEW RIVER	Duane Pollard, Rt. 1, Box 556, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	12	18	12	6	5	40	18	0	5	10	0	126	82	0	N	0	95	0	0
NORTH BEAVER	Bob Neaves, P.O. Box 206, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	3	7	9	5	5	17	8	0	0	10	0	64	44	0	N	0	80	0	0
OAK HILL	Walter Blevins, Rt. 2, Box 54, Lansing, NC 28643	0	4	8	4	4	7	25	11	0	0	7	0	70	45	0	N	0	43	0	0
OBIDS	Glen South, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	2	6	1	2	4	9	14	0	0	7	0	46	30	0	N	0	23	0	0
OLD FIELDS	John Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	3	13	8	2	0	21	18	0	0	3	0	68	55	0	Y	0	65	0	0
ORION	Russell Vannoy, Rt. 3, Box 711 West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	4	10	7	7	30	11	0	0	2	0	77	57	0	N	0	65	0	0
PEAK VALLEY	Don McCoy, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	10	10	0	N	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	J. C. Ashley, Rt. 1, Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	2	12	14	7	7	22	26	4	0	3	0	97	61	0	N	0	64	0	0
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Doug Greene, Rt. 1, Box 777, Boone, NC 28607	1	4	2	3	5	6	20	8	0	0	4	15	68	38	0	N	0	20	0	0
PINE SWAMP	Kyle Vannoy, Rt. 2, Box 345, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	1	0	4	5	8	10	8	0	4	5	0	47	30	0	N	0	20	0	0
PLEASANT HOME	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1, Box 26-J, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	6	3	6	7	6	10	9	2	0	10	0	59	45	0	N	0	48	0	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	Ward Ballou, Rt. 1, Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PROSPERITY	(No letter received)																				
ROUND KNOB	Walter Smith, Box 272, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	4	8	0	8	6	20	6	0	0	10	0	67	35	0	N	0	40	0	0
SABBATH HOME	(No letter received)																				
STURGILLS	Ricky Little, Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643	2	14	15	15	0	0	45	0	0	0	0	0	91	55	0	N	0	35	0	0
THREE FORKS		0	4	12	5	5	4	15	7	0	0	5	0	57	39	0	N	0	42	0	0
TRINITY	Delmas Parker, Gap Creek Estates, Deep Gap, NC 28618	6	5	18	10	4	14	35	26	0	8	4	0	128	81	0	Y	0	124	0	0
TUCKERDALE	Ralph Davis, P.O. Box 115, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	11	22	10	8	30	34	0	0	0	12	0	127	89	0	N	0	87	0	0
WAGONER	Eddie Liddle, Rt. 1, Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	3	8	4	10	12	16	16	14	0	5	0	72	45	0	N	0	64	0	4
WARRENSVILLE	Lanny Lewis, Rt. 2, Box 12, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	12	5	20	18	14	11	37	0	0	2	0	119	78	0	N	0	87	0	0
WELCOME HOME	Leonard Crepps, Rt. 1, Box 202-A, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	3	7	4	0	0	17	14	0	0	13	0	58	52	0	Y	0	96	0	0
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Larry Rhodes, P.O. Box 61, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	15	20	24	27	20	59	50	0	15	4	0	234	81	0	N	0	88	0	0
	TOTALS	**48**	**248**	**381**	**370**	**247**	**341**	**1,322**	**686**	**25**	**36**	**200**	**15**	**3,592**	**2,414**	**5**		**1**	**2,499**	**0**	**4**

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

ASSOCIATIONAL CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTOR
MRS. GWEN ELLIOTT
RT. 3 BOX 142
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment 5 years and under not in school	Children enrollment 6-11 years or grades 1-6	Youth enrollment 12-17 years or grades 7-12	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Equipping Centers enrollment	NCMT/Survial Kit enrollment	MasterLIfe enrollment	Other enrollment	Hold file enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total Church Training enrollment	Average weekly Church Training attendance
FRIENDSHIP	Bob Marsh, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	3	2	8	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	25
LIBERTY GROVE	Mrs. Mary South, P.O. Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618	3	9	8	37	0	12	0	0	10	2	0	81	45
MIDWAY	Mrs. Geraldine Harless, Rt. 3, Box 349, West Jefferson, NC 28694	3	7	7	21	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	38	32
MISSION HOME	Mr. Wayne Testerman, Rt. 1, Box 173, Todd, NC 28684	4	9	11	25	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	54	49
OLD FIELDS	Mr. James I. Brooks, Rt. 1, Box 838, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	9	2	21	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	37	28
ORION	Mrs. Ruth Calhoun, P.O. Box 147, Jefferson, NC 28640	3	5	12	15	0	2	0	0	0	5	17	59	25
PHOENIX	Mr. Rolin DAvis, Rt. 1, Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	5	6	19	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	32	18
TRINITY	Mr. Don Norman, Rt. 1, Box 735, Deep Gap, NC 28618	3	4	2	16	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	30	37
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Rev. Ken Morris, P.O. Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	18	20	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	39	22
	TOTALS	**21**	**50**	**74**	**204**	**0**	**14**	**0**	**0**	**10**	**24**	**17**	**413**	**281**

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC DIRECTOR
MR. DEWEY CAMPBELL
P.O. Box 461
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS AND ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment	Younger children's enrollment (6-8 years)	Older children's enrollment (9-11 years)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years)	Adult enrollment(18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrollment	Vocal ensembles enrollment	Instrumental ensembles enrollment	General music leaders enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of the church	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	Average weekly Music Ministry attendance
APPLE GROVE		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BALO MOUNTAIN	Carroll Elliott, Rt. 1, Box 248, Todd, NC 28684	3	6	2	6	16	0	4	0	3	0	40	35
BAPTIST HOME	(No letter received)												
BEAVER CREEK	Mrs. Sandy Patrick, Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	1	1	8	0	0	0	1	0	12	7
BETHEL	Earl McNeill, P.O. Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BIG FLATTS	Russell Phillips, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	0	2	2	11	38	0	5	0	2	0	60	40
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	1	1	4	0	0	0	2	0	8	0
BLUE RIDGE	Patricia Hayworth, Rt. 2, Box 320, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Vaughn Baldwin, 32 Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	4	6	2	25	0	0	0	3	0	40	30
BUFFALO	Charles Harless, Rt. 1, Box 270, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	5	5	12	20	0	4	3	3	0	53	25
CALVARY	Claybern Wagoner, Rt. 1, Bare Street, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1	12	0	0	3	3	0	16	10
CLIFTON	Peggy Powers, Rt. 1, Box 66A, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	0	2	6	14	0	0	0	2	0	25	15
FARMERS MEMORIAL	(No letter received)												
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Junior Greer, Rt. 3, Box 688, West Jefferson, NC 28694	7	3	0	10	30	0	8	4	2	0	64	30
FRIENOLY GROVE	Oewey Campbell, P.O. Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	0	1	30	0	38	0	4	0	74	0
FRIENOSHIP	Linda Ball, Rt. 3, Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	5	30	0	4	0	3	0	42	30
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Oale Neaves, Rt.1, Box 12, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	3	2	0	22	0	12	0	3	0	42	16
GRASSY CREEK	Nancy Phipps, Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Shannon Phipps, Rt. 1, Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	18	10
LANDMARK	R. L. Blevins, P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	3	5	4	11	17	0	6	0	2	6	54	0
LAUREL KNOB	Freda Goodman, Star Route Box 633, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LIBERTY GROVE	William Scott, Rt. 1, Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	1	3	4	4	23	0	0	0	2	0	37	25
LITTLE HELTON	Wilford Porter, Rt. 1, Box 263, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	3	3	3	9	0	0	0	1	0	19	12
MIDWAY	Don Goodman, Rt. 2, Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 2694	2	4	0	8	22	0	1	0	8	0	45	25
MISSION HOME	Jim Gentry, P.O. Box 1054, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	3	5	5	19	0	0	0	4	0	36	30
MOUNT OLIVE	Tony Caparolie, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEW RIVER	A. T. Arnold, Rt. 1, Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	6	5	0	0	18	0	2	0	4	0	35	30
NORTH BEAVER	Scott Prevette, Rt. 2, Box 36, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	2	9	12	0	0	0	4	0	27	15
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2, Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	4	3	19	0	0	0	2	0	28	0
OBIDS	Vilena South, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
OLD FIELDS	Dianne Brown, Rt. 2, Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	3	5	0	15	0	0	0	3	0	28	25
ORION	Reba Osborne, P.O. Box 365, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	25	0	12	1	2	0	40	16
PEAK VALLEY		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	Bob Calhoun, Rt. 3, Box 26B, Lansing, NC 28643	1	5	3	4	16	0	0	0	3	0	32	10
PILOT MOUNTAIN		0	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	0	6	6
PINE SWAMP		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PLEASANT HOME	Beatrice Young, Rt. 1, Box 314, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	Ward Ballou, Rt. 2, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PROSPERITY	(No letter received)												
ROUND KNOB	Anna Belle Cox, Rt. 2, Box 154, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SABBATH HOME	(No letter received)												
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
THREE FORKS		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRINITY	Jack Watson, P.O. Box 93, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	4	32	0	0	0	3	0	39	26
TUCKEROALE	Edison Harless, Rt. 2, Box 644, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
WAGONER	Russell Roark, Rt. 1, Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	0	3	3	3	14	0	0	0	1	0	25	25
WARRENSVILLE		4	2	4	7	20	1	4	4	1	0	47	10
WELCOME HOME	Claude Neaves, 1450 N. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	2	0	20	12
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	G. Allen Chester, P.O. Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	9	10	22	10	0	0	3	0	54	28
	TOTALS	**31**	**61**	**128**	**127**	**565**	**11**	**104**	**14**	**81**	**6**	**1,068**	**543**

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL WMU DIRECTOR
MRS. RUTH CALHOUN
P.O. Box 147
JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCHES	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Mission Friends(5 yrs. and under not in school)	Girls in action (6-11 yrs or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 yrs or grades 7-12)	Baptist young women (18-29 yrs or HS grad. through 29 yrs.)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Missions Friends (5 years and under not in school)	Girls in action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-29 yrs. or HS grad, through 29 years)	Baptist Women (30 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrollment
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mrs. Paulette Poe, Rt. 1, Box 624, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	4	4	0	6	10	6	0	30
BUFFALO	Mrs. Joann Swift, Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	8	0	0	3	13	24
CALVARY	Mrs. Pat Miller, Rt. 1, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	8	9
CLIFTON	Mrs. Oebbie Jones, Rt. 1, Box 238, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	7	0	9	2	0	18
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mrs. Kathy Bower, 417 Martin Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	7	4	7	10	15	1	0	44
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mrs. Christine Jordan, Rt. 3, Box 199, West Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	2	1	5	2	8	0	0	32	5	0	47
FRIENDSHIP	Mrs. Patsy Miller, 235 Glenn Bare Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	0	0	1	4	4	2	9	0	0	9	30	54
HEALING SPRINGS	Mrs. Shirley Watson, Rt. 1, Box 77, Fleetwood, NC 2B626	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	6	4	0	10
LIBERTY GROVE	Mrs. Lorna Scott, Rt. 1, Box 4B, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	15	1	0	16
MIOWAY	Mrs. Lois Jones, Rt. 3, Box 742, West Jefferson, NC 2B694	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	5	2	5	0	14	4	0	26
MISSION HOME	Mrs. Nelda Jordan, Rt. 1, Box 150, Todd, NC 286B4	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	6	0	0	0	13	4	0	23
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jean Eggers, Rt. 1, Box 41, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	13	2	0	16
NORTH BEAVER	Mrs. Linda Blackburn, Rt. 1, Box 597, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	4	0	6
OLO FIELDS	Mrs. Norma Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	0	6	0	7	7	2	0	22
ORION	Mrs. Clyde Dillard, Rt. 1, Box 57, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	8	11	5	16	8	0	52
PHOENIX	Mrs. Cecile Eldreth, P.O. Box 26, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	5
TRINITY	Mrs. Martha Watson, Rt. 1, 8ox 85, Fleetwood, NC 28626	1	1	0	1	1	0	4	5	4	0	9	12	5	0	35
WAGONER	Dianne Sheets, Rt. 1, Box 1BO, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	12	16
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Brenda Osborne, Rt. 3, Box 46, Lansing, NC 2B643	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	2	8	3	11	15	1	0	40
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Mrs. Cathy Yates, P.O. Box 125, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	3	5	7	0	64	5	0	84
	TOTALS	**10**	**10**	**9**	**6**	**17**	**5**	**56**	**42**	**51**	**57**	**49**	**246**	**73**	**63**	**577**

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD DIRECTOR

MR. LARRY BALLOU
207 FRANK WITHERSPOON ROAD
JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Lads (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	Crusaders (9-11 yrs. or grades 4-6)	Pioneers (12-14 yrs. or grades 7-9)	RA director and committee	High School Baptist Young Men enrollment	Baptist Young Men enrollment	Baptist Men enrollment	Brotherhood director and other general Brotherhood Officers	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
CLIFTON	Mr. John Richardson, Rt. 2, Box 280, Creston, NC 28615	1	2	2	2	0	0	6	1	0	14
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mr. Larry Ballou, 207 Frank Witherspoon Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	3	3	7	0	0	0	20	3	0	36
FRIENDSHIP	Mr. Michael Little, Rt. 1, Box 26, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	2	0	1	6	0	0	2	0	11
MIDWAY	Mr. Sterling Copeland, Rt. 2, Box 681, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	6	2	1	0	0	12	3	0	26
OLD FIELDS	Mr. William Fairchild, Rt. 2, Box 252, West Jefferson, NC 28694	2	0	0	1	0	2	7	1	0	13
PHOENIX	Mr. Howard Turnmire, Rt. 1, Box 32A, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	1	1	1	2	0	10	2	0	17
TRINITY	Mr. Walter Baldwin, Rt. 1, Box 138, Todd, NC 28684	6	6	0	0	0	0	16	2	0	30
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Mr. John R. Smith, P.O. Box 1215, Boone, NC 28607	0	6	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	8
	TOTALS	**14**	**26**	**12**	**7**	**8**	**2**	**71**	**15**	**0**	**155**

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP

ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER
MRS. FRED (JEANNIE) MCNEILL
RT. 1 BOX 87
CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES	Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc.	Designated Gifts, Offerings, etc.	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total Recepts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	2,041	0	2,041	0	2,041	0	669	0	0	267	2,065	3,001
BALD MOUNTAIN	Ronnie Hopkins, Rt. 1 Box 679, W. Jeff., NC 28694	34,013	20,175	54,188	2,850	57,038	0	13,900	0	0	1,612	4,111	19,623
BAPTIST HOME	(No letter received)												
BEAVER CREEK	Wayne Patrick, Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694	11,607	341	11,948	0	11,948	0	5,686	0	0	582	3,621	9,889
BETHEL	Mrs. E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, W. Jeff., NC 28694	0	0	3,527	0	0	0	6,000	0	0	614	4,211	10,825
BIG FLATTS	Janet Jordan, Rt. 1, Box 219, Todd, NC 28684	11,680	27,661	39,341	80,094	119,435	0	6,281	52,620	0	511	3,837	63,249
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creson , NC 28615	1,490	0	1,490	0	1,490	0	820	0	0	16	2,480	3,316
BLUE RIDGE	Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	8,973	0	8,973	0	8,973	0	3,000	2,869	0	106	1,629	7,604
BRISTOL	Mary E. Lambert, 907 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	25,634	9,805	35,439	1,436	36,875	2,000	18,489	28,628	0	782	4,615	52,514
BUFFALO	Kim Furches, Rt. 3 Box 402, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	27,938	1,188	29,126	0	29,126	0	9,320	10,278	0	1,560	2,090	23,249
CALVARY	Bobby Lambert, Church Avenue, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	7,000	545	4,545	0	4,545	0	3,120	700	0	200	600	4,320
CLIFTON	Gale Jones, Rt. 2 Box 31B, Creston, NC 28615	19,056	3,800	22,856	739	23,595	0	8,895	0	0	417	7,796	17,108
FARMERS MEMORIAL	(No letter received)												
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Jan Bare, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	110,536	21,042	131,578	422	132,000	0	28,731	2,715	51,671	2,908	18,654	104,679
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles King, Rt. 3 Box 312, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	60,484	12,000	72,484	349	72,833	0	31,608	13,725	0	2,711	5,528	53,572
FRIENDSHIP	Ruby Little, 1028 E. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	59,914	46,970	106,884	0	106,884	0	24,600	0	5,001	2,444	64,249	96,294
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Madge Hudler, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	23,875	1,800	25,675	0	25,675	0	9,800	0	0	1,109	7,759	18,668
GRASSY CREEK	Jack McGrady, Piney Creek, NC 28663	23,571	2,040	25,611	0	25,611	0	14,970	368	0	892	2,785	19,015

HEALING SPRINGS	Rosemary Phipps, Rt. 1, Box 609, Crumpler, NC 28617	26,196	2,916	29,112	1,800	30,912	0	12,740	0	0	1,191	9,838	23,669
LANOMARK	Linda K. Blevins, P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	22,842	4,494	27,336	211	27,547	0	9,465	0	6,520	913	5,680	22,578
LAUREL KNOB	Imogene Goodman, 840 E. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	21,968	2,906	24,874	344	25,218	0	14,135	0	0	544	900	15,579
LIBERTY GROVE	Mary South, P.O. Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618	29,847	2,400	32,247	0	32,247	0	9,598	0	0	680	4,185	14,463
LITTLE HELTON	Kay Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	1,656	0	1,656	0	1,656	0	3,541	1,450	0	844	840	6,675
MIOWAY	Barbara Hodges, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	67,526	10,035	77,561	1,058	78,619	20,000	23,480	0	3,447	3,948	23,684	54,559
MISSION HOME	Raymond Brown, Rt. 1 Box 205, Fleetwood, NC 28626	29,070	17,419	46,489	252	46,741	0	15,907	28,510	0	1,321	7,062	52,800
MOUNT OLIVE	Tony Caparolie, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	14,663	0	14,663	0	14,663	0	3,000	250	0	392	1,860	5,252
NEW RIVER	Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	42,019	4,250	46,269	66	46,335	0	16,345	0	4,252	488	20,402	41,487
NORTH BEAVER	Elaine Sheets, Rt. 2, Box 796, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	18,221	4,669	22,890	0	22,890	0	9,200	0	3,363	1,225	1,904	15,692
OAK HILL	Burton Miller, Rt. 2 Box 15, Lansing, NC 28643	15,718	1,112	16,830	0	16,830	0	7,136	0	0	513	5,545	13,194
OBIDS	Margaret Bare, Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694	6,464	12,551	19,016	0	19,016	0	3,000	18,626	0	326	1,115	23,067
OLD FIELDS	Nelle Hayes, Rt. 3 Box 732, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	25,616	8,115	33,731	0	33,731	0	10,400	0	3,183	1,660	6,248	21,591
ORION	Ralph Jones, Rt. 1 Box 500, Crumpler, NC 28617	37,875	15,094	52,969	71	53,040	0	20,396	521	16,421	1,448	9,445	48,231
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 289, Creston,NC 28615	1,123	0	1,123	0	1,123	0	360	0	0	43	486	889
PHOENIX	Bruce Eller, Rt. 1 Box 77, Warrensville, NC 28693	26,601	810	27,411	409	27,820	0	16,200	0	0	2,243	2,659	21,102
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Mary A. Greene, Rt. 1 Box 777, Boone, NC 28607	4,310	2,043	6,353	40	6,393	0	2,390	0	0	0	1,576	3,966
PINE SWAMP	Shelby Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 204, Fleetwood, NC 28626	4,221	3,600	7,821	0	7,821	0	3,600	4,126	0	278	2,557	10,561
PLEASANT HOME	Sue Weaver, Rt. 1 Box 290, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	15,618	1,029	16,647	261	16,908	2,151	6,285	5,171	0	662	2,179	14,297
PLEASANT VALLEY	Brenda Waddell, Rt. 1 Box 299-B, Crumpler, NC 23617	1,570	0	1,570	0	1,570	0	723	0	0	0	252	975
PROSPERITY	(No letter received)												
ROUND KNOB	Annie Severt, Rt. 2 Box 160, Fleetwood, NC 28626	10,699	0	10,699	0	10,699	0	5,553	3,158	0	154	563	9,408
SABBATH HOME	(No letter received)												
STURGILLS	Katherine Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	7,759	300	8,059	0	8,059	0	4,098	0	0	565	2,562	7,225
THREE FORKS	Carrol Roten, Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	11,338	0	11,338	0	11,338	0	0	2,442	0	676	2,714	5,832
TRINITY	Leslie Gentry, Rt. 1 Box 115, Deep Gap, NC 28618	48,236	7,426	55,662	211	55,873	0	14,256	173	8,800	1,880	12,374	37,563
TUCKERDALE	Ronda Powers, Rt. 2 Box 716, Lansing, NC 28643	24,450	200	24,650	200	24,850	0	9,753	0	0	1,675	1,978	13,406
WAGONER	Irma Liddle, Rt. 1 Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 28640	13,366	689	14,055	14,055	14,055	0	6,490	0	0	350	3,822	10,662
WARRENSVILLE	Harry Ashley, Rt. 2 Box 217, Warrensville, NC 28693	34,232	2,747	36,979	2,383	39,362	0	26,198	0	1,710	1,900	7,748	37,556
WELCOME HOME	Helen Williams, Rt. 3 Box 35, Jefferson, NC 28640	22,767	990	23,757	166	23,923	0	12,695	0	0	650	3,988	17,333
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Jennifer Dollar, P.O. Box 173, West Jefferson, NC 28694	99,839	19,585	119,424	4,808	124,232	0	35,834	0	8,780	3,357	47,867	95,838
	TOTALS	**1,113,622**	**272,747**	**1,386,897**	**112,225**	**1,481,539**	**24,173**	**488,667**	**101,106**	**113,148**	**46,657**	**328,163**	**1,152,376**

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK
MRS. FRED (JEANNIE) McNEILL
RT. 1 Box 87
CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreigh Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	0	50	50	20	0	20	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	80	130
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mary Hopkins, Rt. 1 Box 679, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	2,158	2,033	178	426	734	0	0	0	0	1,500	4,871	7,029
BAPTIST HOME	(No letter received)															
BEAVER CREEK	Dennis Watson, Rt. 1 Box 120, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,103	672	0	360	0	360	123	2,618	2,618
BETHEL	Mrs. E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	102	375									375	477
BIG FLATTS	Anita Elliott, Rt. 1 Box 15-A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	70	120	169	0	1,150	0	0	0	0	0	1,439	1,509
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	374	50	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	444	444
BLUE RIDGE	Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308 W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	0	200	0	0	500	900	900
BRISTOL	Dianne Miller, Rt. 2 Box 625 W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1,384	1,484	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	0	1,884	3,268
BUFFALO	Kathy Eller, Rt. 1 Box 584, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	150	200	0	455	733	0	0	0	0	0	1,388	1,538
CALVARY	Phillip Clark, Rt. 2, Box 760, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	120	0	140	143	0	0	0	0	0	403	403
CLIFTON	Carol Jones, Rt. 2 Box 32, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	369	419	125	250	250	0	0	0	0	1,496	2,540	2,910
FARMERS MEMORIAL	(No letter received)															
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mary Blackburn, 107 Wiley Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	9,181	7,252	0	2,265	3,002	0	0	0	0	3,254	15,773	24,954
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mrs. Rayborne Harless, Rt. 3 Box 247, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	2,553	2,400	1,700	1,916	3,156	425	0	638	639	3,943	19,816	22,369
FRIENDSHIP	Fred Walters, Rt. 1 Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	2,771	2,180	1,510	1,356	1,863	0	0	0	0	0	6,909	9,680
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Bronda Elliott, 308 Sunnyside Dr., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	180	90	0	0	0	100	0	100	1,116	1,586	1,586
GRASSY CREEK	Lisa Hart, Rt. 1 Box 37-A, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	0	0	1,241	780	0	215	275	0	0	0	0	990	2,260	3,501

HEALING SPRINGS	Nancy B. Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	1,366	983	740	172	272	0	50	100	0	707	3,026	4,392
LANOMARK	Celia G. Wright, Rt. 1 8ox 149, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	1,000	400	0	350	1,000	0	200	0	0	0	1,950	2,950
LAUREL KNOB	Joanne Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	396	594	0	0	396	0	0	330	0	59	1,379	1,775
LIBERTY GROVE	J. C. Trivette, Rt. 1, 8ox 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	1,200	900	0	500	2,400	0	0	0	0	4,728	8,528	9,728
LITTLE HELTON	Kay Testerman, Rt. 1, Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	93	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	293
MIOWAY	Oon Goodman, Rt. 2 8ox 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	6,753	4,237	500	1,272	2,799	0	0	0	0	1,722	17,283	24,036
MISSION HOME	Genevieve Grogan, Rt. 1, Box 255, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	1,167	0	0	355	915	0	0	0	0	1,200	2,470	3,637
MOUNT OLIVE	Jo Ann Hardin, Rt. 1, Box 87, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	450	450	150	250	241	0	0	0	0	0	1,091	1,541
NEW RIVER	Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	0	0	0	2,050	2,368	320	877	2,236	0	146	116	115	0	6,178	8,228
NORTH BEAVER	Geraldine Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 190, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	665	1,336	104	254	150	0	0	0	0	0	1,844	2,509
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 8ox 6, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	0	159	0	0	749	0	204	0	0	1,589	2,737	2,737
O8IOS	Nettie McNeill, Rt. 2 Box 376, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	70	156	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	256	326
OLO FIELOS	Phyllis Yates, 8ox 137, Oeep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	1,800	1,200	900	1,382	1,650	0	0	0	0	0	5,132	6,932
ORION	Nancy Woodie, Rt. 3 Box 740, West Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	2,250	1,500	269	415	761	0	0	0	0	0	2,945	5,195
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 289, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	100	100	0	0	100	0	60	0	0	0	260	360
PHOENIX	Mary Jane Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	900	1,000	I05	110	400	15	90	45	45	1,100	2,910	3,810
PILOT MOUNTAIN	John Moulds, Rt. 1, Box 788, Boone, NC 28607	0	0	0	0	254	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	584	838	838
PINE SWAMP	Shelba Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 290, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	200	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	350
PLEASANT HOME	Sharon Parsons, Rt. 1 8ox 306, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	1,098	667	178	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	845	I,943
PLEASANT VALLEY	Brenda Waddell, Rt. 1 8ox 299-B, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	50	0	33	33	34	365	565	565
PROSPERITY	(No letter received)															
ROUNO KNOB	Martha Cox, Rt. 2 Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	299	299	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	299	598
SA88ATH HOME	(No letter received)															
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	600	600	0	500	0	1,200	0	0	0	0	0	0	I,700	2,300
THREE FORKS	Carrol Roten, Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	400	300	0	0	0	0	92	0	0	120	512	912
TRINITY	Jessie Baldwin, Rt. 1 Box 138, Todd NC 28684	0	0	0	5,293	1,925	I,359	580	1,600	0	37	37	37	481	6,045	11,338
TUCKEROALE	Jeanette Oavis, Rt. 1 Box 317A, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	500	744	0	257	500	0	600	200	0	3,911	6,212	6,712
WAGONER	Elsie Poe, Rt. I 8ox 105, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	0	0	0	96	300	200	0	57	0	0	0	0	0	557	653
WARRENSVILLE	Geraldine Reed, Rt. 3 8ox 119, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	799	340	304	600	945	0	158	0	0	452	2,799	3,598
WELCOME HOME	Oeanna Sebastian, Rt. 1 Box 253, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	2,630	600	167	0	200	258	50	0	0	0	1,275	3,905
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	Theresa Curd, Rt. 2 8ox 410, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	13,500	2,100	551	2,601	4,508	0	I85	93	93	1,885	12,016	25,576
	TOTALS	**0**	**600**	**600**	**33,100**	**16,498**	**4,707**	**8,526**	**14,147**	**1,758**	**1,691**	**524**	**324**	**10,487**	**57,166**	**90,866**

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

ASSOCIATIONAL MODERATOR

REV. DAVID BLACKBURN

RT. 1 BOX 597, CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	No. members received from non-Baptist Churches	No members lost to non-Baptist Churches	No of tithers	Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	Total cost for heating, cooling, lighting, etc.	Value of church property	Total church debt at end of this associational year	N=none P-PGG F=Forward Programs T-Tithers Commitment O=Other	Budget Y/N	No. church-type missions started during the year	No church type missions currently operating	No. New Sunday School Members	($) Lottie Moon offering	($) Annie Armstrong offering	Number of church vocation volunteers	N-none TV=TV R=Radio B=Both	No. in Sunday School but not church member	College students baptized	Number of male members	N=none LR-Lay Renewal LE=Lay Evangelism B=Both	N=none L=leadership Y=youth B=both	Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc? Y=Yes N=No: Weekly Workers Meeting	Worship Planning Committee	Family Ministry	Christian Life Committee	BMT prayer activities	Bapt. Sem. Coll. Day	Prop. & casualty ins.	Literacy ministry	Capital Funds Campaign	RA Week	Recreation Committee	State paper in budget
APPLE GROVE	0	0	26			244	0	0	N	N	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	3	0	12	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BALO MOUNTAIN	0	0	20	6	6	1,564	250,000	0	N	Y	0	0	2	734	426	0	N	0	0	39	N	L	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N
BAPTIST HOME																																		
BEAVER CREEK	0	0	15	0	0	1,031	0	0	N	Y	0	0	0	167	132	0	N	0	0	12	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
BETHEL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BIG FLATTS	0	0	21	0	0	455	117,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	1,150	0	0	N	3	0	46	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
BIG LAUREL	0	0	2	0	8	317	45,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	1	0	3	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BLUE RIDGE	0	0	0	0	0	382	75,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	200	0	0	N	0	0	22	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
BRISTOL	0	0	45	4	4	1,010	123,000	2,000	F	Y	0	0	3	200	200	0	N	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
BUFFALO	0	4	0	0	0	1,283	0	7,000	T	Y	0	0	2	733	455	1	N	3	1	96	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
CALVARY	0	0	9	0	5	400	75,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	143	140	0	N	0	0	21	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
CLIFTON	0	0	20	2	2	807	60,000	0	N	Y	0	0	6	250	250	0	N	6	0	97	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
FARMERS MEMORIAL																																		
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	0	0	20	8	6	2,577	600,000	3,000	N	Y	0	0	4	3,002	2,265	0	R	20	0	178	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
FRIENDLY GROVE	2	0	25	4	4	2,174	600,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	3,156	1,910	0	N	27	0	118	N	L	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
FRIENDSHIP	0	0	24	7	5	3,364	582,250	0		Y	0	0	16	1,863	1,356	0	N	0	0	151	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
GLENDALE SPRINGS	0	0	21	0	7	552	124,000	0	F	Y	0	0	5	0	0	0	N	9	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
GRASSY CREEK	0	0	10	6	0	1,035	155,000	0	N	N	0	0	2	275	215	0	N	5	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N

HEALING SPRINGS	0	0	10	5	4	1,717	130,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	272	172	0	N	5	0	68	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
LANDMARK	0	0	9	8.5	1.5	969	175,000	0	N	Y	0	0	3	1,000	350	0	N	1	0		N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
LAUREL KNOB	0	0	15	4	3	1,100	0	0	N	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	5	0			N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
LIBERTY GROVE	1	2	10	4.9	4.1	1,733	222,000	0	N	Y	0	0	18	2,400	500	0	N	0	0	90	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
LITTLE HELTON	0	0	0	0	0	455	8,000	0	N	Y	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	2	0	44	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
MIDWAY	0	0	32	10	6	2,329	550,000	17,100		Y	0	0	0	2,199	1,272	0	N	5	0	90	N	L	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
MISSION HOME	0	0	50	3.35	0	1,876	130,000	3,050	N	Y	0	0	4	915	330	0	N	8	0	75	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
MOUNT OLIVE	0	0	8	10	10	910	80,000	0	F	Y	0	5	0	241	250	0	N	2	0	30	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
NEW RIVER	0	0	35	5	11	761	100,000	4,388	N	Y	0	0	5	1,101	877	0	N	15	0	105	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
NORTH BEAVER	0	0	15	4	8	1,500	100,000	22,555	N	Y	0	0	4	150	150	0	N	0	0	51	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	N
OAK HILL	0	2		0		952	90,000	810	N	N	0	0	6	749	0	0	N	4	0	60	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
OBIDS	0	0	0	0	0	430	75,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0				N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
OLD FIELDS	0	0	18	7	5	2,316	175,000	0	N	Y	0	1	3	1,650	1,382	0	N	2	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
ORION	1	0	5	6	4	1,581	300,000	33,700	N	Y	0	0	1	761	415	0	N	2	0	40	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
PEAK VALLEY	0	0	0	0	0	190				N	0	0	0	100	0	0	N	0			N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
PHOENIX	0	0	22	3.2	3.5	1,815	200,000	0	0	Y	0	0	1	400	110	0	N	3	0	56	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y
PILOT MOUNTAIN			20		10	572	15,000	0	N	N			5	0	0	0	N	7		36	LR	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
PINE SWAMP						227	80,000	0	N	N			9	0	0		N	5	0	34	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PLEASANT HOME	0	0	13	6	4	718	100,000	0	0	Y	0	0	4	191	0	0	N	2	0	45	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
PLEASANT VALLEY	0	0	15	6	3	202	20,000	0	0	Y	0	0	0	50	0	0	N	0	0	20	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PROSPERITY																																								
ROUNO KNOB	0	0		3	3	563	40,000	0		Y	0	0		0	0	0	N				LR	N	N	N	N				N	N	N	N	N	N
SABBATH HOME																																								
STURGILLS	0	0	0	0	0	700	35,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	12	0	65	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
THREE FORKS	1	0	4	3	2	1,121	85,000	0	N	N	0	0	1	0	0	0	N	0	0	47	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
TRINITY	0	0	34	11	4	1,620	350,000	12,672	F	Y	0	0	0	1,600	568	0	N		0	96	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
TUCKERDALE	1	0		5	5.4	1,978	125,000	0	N	Y	0	0	10	500	0	0	N		0	63	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
WAGONER	0	0	5	10		750	150,000	0	F	N	0	0	5		0	0	N	10	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
WARRENSVILLE	0	0	65			2,692	410,000	5,876	T	Y	0	0	6	945	600	0	N	4	0	59	N	L	N	N	N	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	N
WELCOME HOME	0	1	2	8	2	1,716	200,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	200	0	0	N	0	0	37	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	0	5	35	12	3	3,700	600,000	35,000	N	Y	0	0	5	4,508	2,601	0	R	6	0	190	N	L	Y	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N	Y
TOTALS	**6**	**14**	**680**			**69,088**	**7,351,250**	**147,151**			**0**	**6**	**134**	**31,805**	**16,926**	**1**		**183**	**1**	**2,196**																

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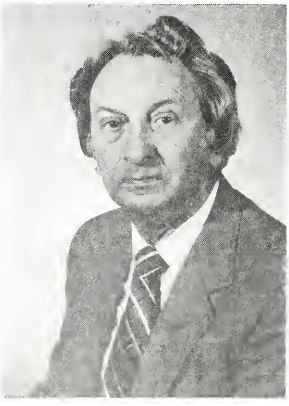
Moderator
Rev. Ervel Jones

Vice-Moderator
Rev. Billy Joe Blevins



Director of Missions
Rev. William C. (Bill) Ballou

Clerk-Treasurer
Mrs. Jeannie McNeill

SPEAKERS FOR THE 104TH ANNUAL SESSION

Rev. William C. (Bill) Ballou

Rev. David Blackburn

Rev. John Leek

Rev. Charles Edwards

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MR. GEORGE WEST

Brother West served as moderator of the association for eighteen years. He served with great distinction. He is a man who is loved and respected by all who know him. He is a born teacher. He taught in the Public School systems for thirty-two years. For the past forty years he has taught Sunday School. He has always been in great demand in Vacation Bible School work.

He was married to Hazel Dolinger who went home to be with her Lord on February 22, 1988. Mrs. West was also an educator who taught for many years. She was such a sweet lovable person. Mr. and Mrs. West were blessed with one child, a daughter, Mrs. Jane Gambill who is a nurse at Wilkes General Hospital.

We thank God for the positive influence of brother West over the years. Only eternity itself will ever reveal the contributions of this man to the cause of Christ here in the association and the community at large.

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou
Director of Missions

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REV. W.H. CALDWELL

Rev. W.H. Caldwell was born August 31, 1906. He was married to Stella Halsey in 1924. They were blessed with 4 children. 3 boys and 1 girl. He began his ministry in 1928.

During the years of his ministry he served 34 churches. He served Mount Pleasant Church in Wilkes County, Pleasant Grove, Grubbs Chapel, Pine Branch, and Galax in Virginia. He also served churches in Lenior in Caldwell County and churches in the Sandhills Association.

Here in Ashe County he served Healing Springs, Wagoner, Chestnut Hill, New River and Landmark.

Brother Caldwell posesses a great zeal for souls. At 84 he still has a consuming desire to see people come to know the Lord. Only heaven knows the vast number he has led to Christ. Rev. & Mrs. Caldwell make their home with their daughter in a beautiful home overlooking New River near Crumpler.

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou
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FLETCHER MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
A BRIEF HISTORY

The present organization of Fletcher Memorial Baptist Church dates from 1953, but its beginnings and heritage goes back to 1888. The original church was disbanded around 1916, leaving no Baptist Church in the county seat of Jefferson.

Late in 1953, under the leadership of Associational Missionary E.J. Jenkins, sixteen charter members met and organized the present church. Four of these charter members are still living. Under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, and men of God for pastors, the church has grown steadily in membership and spiritual maturity. Present membership is 433.

During the thirty-eight years since its organization, the church has been blessed with the ministry of the following pastors.

Rev. G.C. Burkette
Rev. W.T. Whittington
Rev. Bill Ballou
Rev. Ray Shumate
Rev. Ernest Austin
Rev. Larry Lefler
Rev. Roy Roach
Rev. Daniel Little
Rev. Gary Teague

Present pastor Gary Teague has led the church in two great building projects. A beautiful parsonage and educational building are now complete and debt free. We thank the Lord for all that has been accomplished.

We are now experiencing a problem with seating facilities for our Sunday morning worship services. Enlargement of the sanctuary is presently being considered.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Henry (Vivian) Hartsoe

BIG FLATTS BAPTIST CHURCH
A CHURCH HISTORY

A presbytery of Rev. J.T. Fletcher and Rev. P.H. Haire met the people at Gum Ridge Schoolhouse in Ashe County, North Carolina, in March, 1905 and organized a missionary Baptist Church. They gave it the name of Big Flatts Baptist Church.

There were eleven charter members, being:

Rev. P.H. Haire
Winnie Haire
Julia Greer
G.T. Greer
Ava Parsons
R.C. Parsons
E.L. Tucker
F.C. Church
Elvira Church
J.S. Trivette
Bettie Trivette

They called as their first pastor, Rev. P.H. Haire.

In September 1905, Big Flatts Baptist joined the Ashe and Alleghany Association of Missionary Baptist Churches.

In 1908 the first house of worship was built. In 1945 Robert Trivette donated land to connect the Trivette family cemetery and the church cemetery.

Since its organization, the church has maintained a year-roud Sunday School program.

In 1954 a second brick building was planned and construction was begun. On December 18, 1988 that building was destroyed by fire. From December 25, 1988 through July, 1989, the congregation held regular services in the Fleetwood Fire Department.

The new building, which stands near the sites of the first two, was begun March 13, 1989 and dedicated to the Lord on November 5, 1989.

This building was made possible by donations and hard work from sister churches, fellow Christians, concerned organizations, and many anonymous persons who followed the Lord's direction to help. Our heartfelt gratitude goes to all who donated money, labor, and gifts, to those whose prayers kept us going when things got rough, and most of all, to the Lord for making our new sanctuary possible.

Through the years, five ministers have been ordained from the Big Flatts membership, being:

J.S. Trivette in 1905
Douglas Parsons in 1953
Worth Kimberlin in 1964
Bobby Sutherland in 1976
Garland Toliver in 1983

The present membership of Big Flatts stands at 103. We have been blessed through the years to have been led by the following pastors:

P.H. Haire
B.F. Wilcox
J.M. Arnold
R.M. Burkett
J.A. Brendell
H.M. Winkler
Rexford Campbell
R.C. Ashley
Charlie Patrick
Garland Hutton
Reeves Jones
E.L. Tucker
W.N. Church
W.E. Carlton
John Anderson
G.L. Trivette
L.A. Wilson
G.C. Burkett
Paul Phipps
Luther Shumate
W.T. Whittington
Bradley Mayes
and our present pastor, Charlie McCoy

May God richly bless you all.

Respectfully,
Anita B. Elliott
Church Clerk

Excerpts taken from a church history written by Miss Mary Jordan.

MINISTERS ORDAINED DURING THE YEAR

GLENDALE SPRINGS	Rev. Roger Sheets Rt. 2, Box 470 West Jefferson, NC 28694

ORDAINED MINISTERS NOT SERVING AS PASTORS

BETHEL	Rev. Robert Harless Rt. 1, Box 61-D Purlear, NC 28665
BRISTOL	Rev. William Wade Bare Rt. 2, Box 12 Lansing, NC 28643
	Rev. J.C. Darnell Rt. 1, Box 249 Warrensville, NC 28693
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	Rev. W.T. Whittington Jefferson, NC 28640
FRIENDSHIP	Rev. G.C. Burkette (R) Rt. 1, Box 14 Jefferson, NC 28640
	Rev. Guy T. Shatley (I) Rt. 3, Box 22A Jefferson, NC 28640
	Rev. Douglas Halsey 227 Stanley Street Jefferson, NC 28640
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Rev. Grant Miller (I) Millers Creek, NC 28651
LANDMARK	Rev. W.H. Caldwell (R) Rt. 1, Box 475 Crumpler, NC 28617
LIBERTY GROVE	Rev. J.L. Trivette (I) West Jefferson, NC 28694
LITTLE HELTON	Rev. Lee Waddell (R) Rt. 1 Grassy Creek, NC 28631
OAK HILL	Rev. Leonard Blevins (I) Rt. 1, Box 354B Crumpler, NC 28617
PHOENIX	Rev. Bruce Eller Rt. 1, Box 77 Warrensville, NC 28693

ROUND KNOB	Rev. Robert Patrick Rt. 2 Fleetwood, NC 28626 Rev. Smith Miller P.O. Box 744 Burlington, NC 27215
STURGILLS	Rev. Roy Segraves (I) Warrensville, NC 28693
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BEAVER CREEK - None Listed
BETHEL - Jerry Dillard
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BIG FLATTS - Bill Phipps
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BRISTOL - Ralph Testerman
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CALVARY - None Listed
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PLEASANT VALLEY - None Listed
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BEAVER CREEK - Delma Goodman, Sharon Cheek, Ann Goodman
BETHEL - Rev. Ross Harless, Eula Blevins, Mrs. E.A. Phillips
BIG FLATTS - Marie Jordan, Anita Elliott, Russell Phillips
BIG LAUREL - Glyda Roten, Johnie Roten
BLUE RIDGE - James Watson, Mary Church, Louise Hepler
BRISTOL - Russell Day, Lillard Turner, Martin Witherspoon
BUFFALO - Delmer & Edna Rash, Eddie & Ozella Duncan, Lawrence & Kate Miller
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NEW RIVER - Clifford Caudill, Duane Pollard, Donna Pollard, Larry Greer, Jaylene Warden, Ema Caudill
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OAK HILL - Irene Barker, Ethel Stuart, Dale Walton, Betty McMillan, Burton Miller

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OLD FIELDS - Norma Yates, Worth Phillips, Flavil Phillips, Burl Hartzog, Louise Hartzog
ORION - Virginia Sexton, Clyde Dillard, Joyce Norris, Jessie Dillard, Mack Dillard, Edith Severt
PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy, Stella McCoy
PHOENIX - Rolin Davis, Mary Beryl Davis, Bernard Miller, Maxie Miller
PILOT MOUNTAIN - No Report
PINE SWAMP - Blanch Oliver, Shelby Hartzog, Debbie Pipenbrock, Rick Pipenbrock, Shirley Vannoy, Jeanie Hartzog, Tim Elliott, Ballard Marsh
PLEASANT HOME - Rachel Burgess, Stanley Young, John Greene, Sue Weaver, Lori Weaver, Darrel Young
PLEASANT VALLEY - No Report
PROSPERITY - No Report
ROUND KNOB - Mary Miller, Allen Miller, Walter Smith
SABBATH HOME - No Report
STURGILLS - Kermit Wilcox, Katherine Sturgill, Wilma Phipps, Edna Sturgill, Caralee Seagraves, Letcher Wilcox, Wade Wilcox
THREE FORKS - Carroll Roten, Jerry Phillips, Zenith Roten
TRINITY - Treva Watson, Martha Watson, Dottie Coffey
TUCKERDALE - Mary Graham, Brenda Powers, Jeanette Davis, Colonel Blevins, Ola Blevins, Iva Baldwin
WAGONER - Brenda Roark, Russell Roark, Eddie Liddle, Benny Jenkins, Elsie Poe
WARRENSVILLE - Edd Reed, Bobby Osborne
WELCOME HOME - Edward McVey, Helen Williams, Grace Tucker
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - J. Kennith Morris, G. Allen Chester

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OAK HILL - Lida Blevins
Rt. 2, Box 83, Lansing, NC 28643
OBIDS - Weldon Bare
Rt. 2, Box 517, West Jefferson, NC 28694
OLD FIELDS - Burl Hartzog
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ORION - Sam Bowers
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PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy
Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615
PHOENIX - Jack Ashley
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PILOT MOUNTAIN - William F. Vannoy
Rt. 1, Box 44, Todd, NC 28684
PINE SWAMP - Emery Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 290, West Jefferson, NC 28694
PLEASANT HOME - Kenneth Young
Rt. 1, Box 315, Grassy Creek, NC 28631
PLEASANT VALLEY - Ward Ballou
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RIVERVIEW - (WatchCare)
ROUND KNOB - John Miller Jr.
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SABBATH HOME - No name submitted
STURGILLS - Ricky Little
Rt. 2, Box 493, Lansing, NC 28643
THREE FORKS - No name submitted
TRINITY - Jack Watson
P.O. Box 93, Deep Gap, NC 28618
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WARRENSVILLE - Edd Reed
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Rt. 2, Box 140, Creston, NC 28615 385-3151
BLUE RIDGE - James Watson
Rt. 2, Box 324, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5425
BRISTOL - Jerry Severt
Rt. 2, Box 44, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2852
BUFFALO - Kenneth Furches
Rt. 3, Box 402, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5810
CALVARY - Bobby Lambert
Church Avenue, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3292
CLIFTON - Edd Miller
Rt. 2, Box 40-A, Creston, NC 28615 385-6547
FARMER MEMORIAL - No Report Received
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Toy Campbell
P.O. Box 414, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9384
FRIENDLY GROVE - Charles Severt
Rt. 3, Box 457, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9470
FRIENDSHIP - Kyle Ball
Rt. 3, Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9530
GLENDALE SPRINGS - George Swann
Rt. 2, Box 439, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-9856
GRASSY CREEK - David Peterson
Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, Va. 24363 (704) 579-7625
HEALING SPRINGS - Charles Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 604, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3041
LANDMARK - Glen Davis
Rt. 2, Box 553B, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3388
LAUREL KNOB - Fred Goodman
Rt. 1, Box 288, Todd, NC 28684 877-5453
LIBERTY GROVE - Kermit Miller
Star Route, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-1142
LITTLE HELTON - No Report Received
MIDWAY - Dwight Furches
Rt. 3, Box 149, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3710
MISSION HOME - Bill Gentry
Rt. 1, Box 251, Todd, NC 28684 877-3716
MOUNT OLIVE - David Surber
Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-3352
NEW RIVER - Duane Pollard
Rt. 1, Box 556, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2593
NORTH BEAVER - Jim Ketner
Rt. 2, Box 340, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4033
OAK HILL - Walter Blevins
Rt. 2, Box 54, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3236
OBIDS - Glen South
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2536
OLD FIELDS - John Yates
Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-5179

ORION - Russell Vannoy
Rt. 3, Box 711, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7226

PEAK VALLEY - Don McCoy
Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615 385-1565

PHOENIX - J.C. Ashley
Rt. 1, Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3111

PILOT MOUNTAIN - Doug Greene
Rt. 1, Box 777, Boone, NC 28607 704-264-8492

PINE SWAMP - Kyle Vannoy
Rt. 2, Box 345, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-1373

PLEASANT HOME - Wayne Jones
Rt. 1, Box 26J, Crumpler, NC 28617

PLEASANT VALLEY - Ward Ballou
Rt. 1, Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3500

PROSPERITY - No Report Received

RIVERVIEW - (WatchCare)

ROUND KNOB - Walter Smith
Box 272, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4114

SABBATH HOME - No Report Received

STURGILLS - Ricky Little
Rt. 2, Lansing, NC 28643

THREE FORKS - No Report Received

TRINITY - Leroy Watson
Rt. 1, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-1790

TUCKERDALE - Ralph Davis
P.O. Box 115, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3673

WAGONER - Eddie Liddle
Rt. 1, Box 194-A, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2623

WARRENSVILLE - Lanny Lewis
Rt. 2, Box 12, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3864

WELCOME HOME - Leonard Crepps
Rt. 1, Box 202-A, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2283

WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Larry Rhodes
P.O. Box 61, West Jefferson, NC 28640

DIRECTORY OF CHURCH CLERKS

APPLE GROVE - Flossie Taylor
Rt. 1, Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2640

BALD MOUNTAIN - Mary Hopkins
Rt. 1, Box 679, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4420

BAPTIST HOME - No Report Received

BEAVER CREEK - Dennis Watson
Rt. 1, Box 120, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-5400

BETHEL - Mrs. E.A. Phillips
Rt. 2, Box 155, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-1451

BIG FLATTS - Anita Elliott
Rt. 1, Box 15-A, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4340

BIG LAUREL - Johnie Roten
Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615 385-1448
BLUE RIDGE - Louise Hepler
Rt. 2, Box 308, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2742
BRISTOL - Mrs. Logene Blevins
1008 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2785
BUFFALO - Mrs. Paula Perry
Rt. 1, Box 576, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5516
CALVARY - Phillip Clark
Rt. 2, Box 760, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5688
CLIFTON - Carol Jones
Rt. 2, Box 32, Creston, NC 28615 385-5661
FARMER MEMORIAL - No Report Received
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mary Blackburn
107 Wiley Street, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9088
FRIENDLY GROVE - Mrs. Rayborne Harless
Rt. 3, Box 247, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9457
FRIENDSHIP - Fred Walters
Rt. 1, Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-3316
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Lisa Harless
Rt. 2, Box 464, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-9174
GRASSY CREEK - Lisa Hart
Rt. 1, Box 37-A, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363 703-579-4494
HEALING SPRINGS - Nancy Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3650
LANDMARK - Celia G. Wright
Rt. 1, Box 149, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3949
LAUREL KNOB - Joanne Goodman
Rt. 1, Box 288, Todd, NC 28684 877-5453
LIBERTY GROVE - J.C. Trivette
Rt. 1, Box 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4067
LITTLE HELTON - Kay Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3173
MIDWAY - Don Goodman
Rt. 2, Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9426
MISSION HOME - Genevieve Grogan
Rt. 1, Box 255, Todd, NC 28684 877-3062
MOUNT OLIVE - JoAnn Hardin
Rt. 1, Box 87, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4469
NEW RIVER - Jaylene Warden
Rt. 1, Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663 372-4747
NORTH BEAVER - Geraldine Hartzog
Rt. 2, Box 190, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4222
OAK HILL - Junior Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3387
OBIDS - Mrs. Mary Graybeal
Rt. 1, Box 343, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3194

OLD FIELDS - Phyllis Yates
Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4389
ORION - Nancy Woodie
Rt. 3, Box 740, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9897
PEAK VALLEY - Mrs. Weldon Shepherd
Rt. 1, Box 289, Creston, NC 28615 385-7733
PHOENIX - Mary Jane Ashley
Rt. 1, Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3111
PILOT MOUNTAIN - John Moulds
Rt. 1, Box 788, Boone, NC 28607 704-262-5853
PINE SWAMP - Shelba Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 290, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4358
PLEASANT HOME - Sharon Parsons
Rt. 1, Box 306, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3883
PLEASANT VALLEY - Brenda Waddell
Rt. 1, Box 299-B, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3295
PROSPERITY - No Report Received
RIVERVIEW - (WatchCare)
ROUND KNOB - Martha Cox
Rt. 2, Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4757
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Edward Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - Carrol Roten
Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615 385-4931
TRINITY - Jesse Baldwin
Rt. 1, Box 138, Todd, NC 28684 877-3005
TUCKERDALE - Jeanette Davis
Rt. 1, Box 317-A, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3427
WAGONER - Elsie Poe
Rt. 1, Box 105, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-2467
WARRENSVILLE - Geraldine Reed
Rt. 3, Box 119, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-4748
WELCOME HOME - Deanna Sabastian
Rt. 1, Box 253, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3839
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Theresa Curd
Rt. 2, Box 410, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2912

DIRECTORY OF CHURCH TREASURERS

APPLE GROVE - Flossie Taylor
Rt. 1, Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2640
BALD MOUNTAIN - Ronnie Hopkins
Rt. 1, Box 679, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4420
BAPTIST HOME - No Report Received
BEAVER CREEK - Wayne Patrick
Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4146

BETHEL - Mrs. E.A. Phillips
Rt. 2, Box 155, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-1451
BIG FLATTS - Janet Jordan
Rt. 1, Box 219, Todd, NC 28684 877-4573
BIG LAUREL - Johnie Roten
Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615 385-1448
BLUE RIDGE - Louise Hepler
Rt. 2, Box 308, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2742
BRISTOL - Mary Lambert
907 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2328
BUFFALO - Kim Furches
Rt. 3, Box 402, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5810
CALVARY - Bobby Lambert
Rt. 3, Church Ave., West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3292
CLIFTON - Gale Jones
Rt. 2, Box 31-B, Creston, NC 28615 385-3512
FARMER MEMORIAL - No Report Received
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Mrs. Vivian Hartsoe
101 Lawson Lane, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9359
FRIENDLY GROVE - Charles King
Rt. 3, Box 312, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9937
FRIENDSHIP - Ruby Little
1028 E. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2195
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Madge Hudler
Rt. 2, Box 498, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2542
GRASSY CREEK - Jack McGrady
Piney Creek, NC 28663
HEALING SPRINGS - Rosemary Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 609, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3873
LANDMARK - Linda Blevins
P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2025
LAUREL KNOB - Imogene Goodman
840 E. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9500
LIBERTY GROVE - Mary South
P.O. Box 90, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4547
LITTLE HELTON - Kay Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3173
MIDWAY - Barbara Hodges
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3366
MISSION HOME - Raymond Brown
Rt. 1, Box 205, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4679
MOUNT OLIVE - Tony Caparolie
Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-5256
NEW RIVER - Jaylene Warden
Rt. 1, Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663 372-4747
NORTH BEAVER - Kathy Blevins
Rt. 2, Box 764, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5079

OAK HILL - Burton Miller
Rt. 2, Box 15, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3385
OBIDS - Margaret Bare
Rt. 2, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-3147
OLD FIELDS - Nelle Hayes
Rt. 3, Box 732, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5300
ORION - Ralph Jones
Rt. 1, Box 500, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-2882
PEAK VALLEY - Mrs. Weldon Shepherd
Rt. 1, Box 289, Creston, NC 28615 335-7733
PHOENIX - Bruce Eller
Rt. 1, Box 77, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-2284
PILOT MOUNTAIN - Mary A. Greene
Rt. 1, Box 777, Boone, NC 28607 704-264-8492
PINE SWAMP - Shelby Hartzog
Rt. 2, Box 204, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4150
PLEASANT HOME - Sue Weaver
Rt. 1, Box 290, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3550
PLEASANT VALLEY - Brenda Waddell
Rt. 1, Box 299-B, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3295
PROSPERITY - No Report Received
RIVERVIEW - (WatchCare)
ROUND KNOB - Annie Severt
Rt. 2, Box 160, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-5476
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Katherine Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - Carrol Roten
Rt. 2, Box 71, Creston, NC 28615 385-4931
TRINITY - Leslie Gentry
Rt. 1, Box 115, Deep Gap, NC 28618 704-264-2117
TUCKERDALE - Ronda Powers
Rt. 2, Box 716, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2612
WAGONER - Irma Liddle
Rt. 1, Box 194, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2623
WARRENSVILLE - Janey Ashley
Rt. 1, Box 21, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-3131
WELCOME HOME - Helen Williams
Rt. 3, Box 35, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2161
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Jennifer Dollar
P.O. Box 173, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3324

DIRECTORY OF MUSIC DIRECTORS

APPLE GROVE - None Listed
BALD MOUNTAIN - Carroll Elliott
Rt. 1, Box 248, Todd, NC 28684 877-4839
BAPTIST HOME - No Report Received
BEAVER CREEK - Sandy Patrick
Rt. 3, Box 613, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4146
BETHEL - Earl McNeill
P.O. Box 481, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7961
BIG FLATTS - Russell Phillips
Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684 877-3457
BIG LAUREL - Johnie Roten
Rt. 2, Box 276, Creston, NC 28615 385-1448
BLUE RIDGE - Patricia Hayworth
Rt. 2, Box 320, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-4831
BRISTOL - Vaughn Baldwin
32 Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2269
BUFFALO - None Listed
CALVARY - Claybern Wagoner
Rt. 1, Bare Street, West Jefferson, NC 28694
CLIFTON - Peggy Powers
Rt. 1, Box 66A, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9073
FARMER MEMORIAL - No Report Received
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Junior Greer
Rt. 3, Box 688, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-7568
FRIENDLY GROVE - Dewey Campbell
P.O. Box 461, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5951
FRIENDSHIP - Tim Vannoy
Rt. 3, Box 16B, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-9373
GLENDALE SPRINGS - Dale Neaves
Rt. 1, Box 112, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2753
GRASSY CREEK - Nancy Phipps
Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363 703-579-7564
HEALING SPRINGS - Shannon Phipps
Rt. 1, Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617 982-3650
LANDMARK - R.L. Blevins
P.O. Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-2025
LAUREL KNOB - Freda Goodman
Star Route, Box 633, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-5172
LIBERTY GROVE - William Scott
Rt. 1, Box 48, Todd, NC 28684 877-4579
LITTLE HELTON - Karen Parsons
P.O. Box 162, Lansing, NC 28643 384-4516
MIDWAY - Don Goodman
Rt. 2, Box 18, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9426

MISSION HOME - Jim Gentry
P.O. Box 1054, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2994
MOUNT OLIVE - Tony Caparolie
Rt. 1, Box 185, Todd, NC 28684 877-5256
NEW RIVER - A.T. Arnold
Rt. 1, Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3538
NORTH BEAVER - Scott Privette
Rt. 2, Box 36, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-2352
OAK HILL - Junior Elliott
Rt. 2, Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3387
OBIDS - Vilena South
Rt. 2, Box 591, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2356
OLD FIELDS - Dianne Brown
Rt. 2, Box 593, West Jefferson, NC 28694 982-2627
ORION - None Listed
PEAK VALLEY - None Listed
PHOENIX - Bob Calhoun
Rt. 3, Box 26B, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3004
PILOT MOUNTAIN - None Listed
PINE SWAMP - None Listed
PLEASANT HOME - Beatrice Young
Grassy Creek, NC 28631 384-3500
PROSPERITY - No Report Recieved
RIVERVIEW - (WatchCare)
ROUND KNOB - Anna Belle Cox
Rt. 2, Box 154, Fleetwood, NC 28626 877-4681
SABBATH HOME - No Report Received
STURGILLS - Edward Sturgill
Rt. 2, Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643 384-3302
THREE FORKS - None Listed
TRINITY - Jack Watson
P.O. Box 93, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4533
TUCKERDALE - Edison Harless
Rt. 2, Box 644, Lansing, NC 28643 384-2368
WAGONER - Russell Roark
Rt. 1, Box 114, Laurel Springs, NC 28644 982-3293
WARRENSVILLE - None Listed
WELCOME HOME - Claude Neaves
1450 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-3248
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - G. Allen Chester
P.O. Box 180, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-5141

DIRECTORY OF BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS

CLIFTON - Rev. Larry Powers
Rt. 1, Box 66-A, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9073
FLETCHER MEMORIAL - Bobby Hudler
Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640 982-9064
FRIENDLY GROVE - Leonard Smith
Rt. 3, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-3555
MIDWAY - Sterling Copeland
Rt. 2, Box 681, West Jefferson, NC 28694 877-5248
OLD FIELDS - Chris Greene
Box 139, Deep Gap, NC 28618 877-4835
PHOENIX - Howard Turnmire
Rt. 1, Box 32A, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-2140
TRINITY - Dale Blevins
Star Route 1, Deep Gap, NC 28618 704-264-9641
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - John Smith
P.O. Box 1215, Boone, NC 28607 877-2021

DIRECTORY OF DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING DIRECTORS

FRIENDSHIP - Bob Marsh
P.O. Box 602, Jefferson, NC 28640 982-2363
LIBERTY GROVE - William Scott
Rt. 1, Box 48, Todd, NC 28684 877-4579
MIDWAY - Mrs. Geraldine Harless
Rt. 3, Box 349, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-4432
MISSION HOME - Wayne Testerman
Rt. 1, Box 173, Todd, NC 28684 877-4214
OLD FIELDS - James Brooks
Rt. 1, Box 838, West Jefferson, NC 28694 246-9150
ORION - Mrs. Cathy Dishman
Rt. 1, Box 61-A, Jefferson, NC 28640 246-9741
PHOENIX - Kathleen Turnmire
Rt. 1, Box 32-A, Warrensville, NC 28693 384-2140
TRINITY - Ronnie Dowell
Rt. 1, Box 471, Deep Gap, NC 28618 704-264-7775

ORGANIZATIONAL OFFICERS

SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSIST TEAM
Director..... Bernard Bare (246-5054)
Adult..... Darrell Campbell (246-9975)
Youth..... Cindy Davis (384-3673)

Children (Older-10-11 Yrs.)... Linda Bare (877-3005)
Children (Middle 8-9 Yrs.)..... Ken Morris (246-5131)
Children (Younger 6-7 Yrs.)... Diane Dixon (982-3685)
Preschool (Middle 2-3 Yrs.)... Nancy Watson (877-4782)
Preschool (Older 4-5 Yrs.)..... Judy Moser (384-4328)

CHURCH MUSIC
Director Of Music & Training.....Dewey Campbell (246-5951)
Pianist..... Irene Campbell (246-5951)
Organist.....Maureen Blackburn (246-7067)

CHURCH TRAINING
Director..... Gwen Elliott (246-5321)
Adult.....Wayne Testerman (877-4214)
Youth..... Nancy Watson (877-4782)
Children.....
Preschool..... Bob Marsh (982-2363)
Children's Bible Drill/
Youth Speakers.....Linda Blackburn (982-2373)

BROTHERHOOD
President.....William Fairchild (877-4987)
Mission Study Chairman..... Lynn McCoy (982-2300)
RA Leader.....J.E. Blevins (982-2824)

ANNUAL REPRESENTATIVES OF INSTITUTIONS AND PROGRAMS
(Appointed by Moderator)

American Bible Society.....Charlie McCoy
Baptist Children's Homes.....JoAnn Goodman
Baptist Retirement Homes.....Billy Joe Blevins
Baptist Hospital, Inc.....Dean Watson
Biblical Recorder.....Linda Eller
Christian Education.....Stewart Scott
Stewardship (Cooperative Program).....Jack Pugh
Pastor's Salary & Retirement.....John Leek
Temperance & Public Morals.....Rick Gardner
Southern Baptist Annuity.....Paul Coffey
Foreign Missions.....Kathy Bower
Home Missions.....Lois Jones
State Missions.....Wayne Jones
Baptist Foundation.....Norman Roten

COMMITTEES APPOINTED ANNUALLY
(Appointed by Moderator)

(Resolutions Committee)

(Chm.).....Dean Watson
Rex Eldreth
Wayne Jones

(Place/preacher Committee)

(Chm.).....Jimmy Warden
Claybern Roten
John Goodman

(Nominating Committee)

(Chm.).....John Leek
W.E. Burchette
Russell Roark
Linda Blackburn
Kathleen Turnmire

ASSOCIATIONAL ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEES

BUDGET & FINANCE

(Chm.) Garner Blevins - 246-9637, Larry Elliott - 982-9235, Kim Furches - 246-5810, Deanna Sabastian - 982-3839, Mary South - 877-4547.

ASSN. ORDINATION COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Charles Edwards - 246-4581, Ross Harless - 877-4737, Harvey Presnell - 704-265-1202, Bill Gentry - 877-3716, Ralph Jones - 982-2882.

COMMITTEE ON NEW CHURCHES

Charlie McCoy - 384-2548, Garrett Mahaffey - 877-4239, Wayne Jones - 877-4360, Ricky Brown - 877-4296, Ernie Lambert - 246-9341, Bob Neaves - 246-9735.

ASSN. PROPERTIES COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Jim Vannoy - 982-2150, Ernest Blevins - 246-3701, Larry Greer - 246-2703.

ASSN. PROGRAM COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Wayne Patrick, Nancy Phipps - 703-579-7564, Marie Jordan - 877-4516, Lloyd Day - 246-7384.

COMMITTEE ON EVANGELISM

(Chm.) Johnny Blevins - 246-6650, J.C. Trivette - 877-4067, Fred Goodman - 877-5453, Jerry Phillips - 385-6349, Rev. Larry Powers - 246-9073.

CONSTITUTION & BY-LAWS COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Charles Caudill - 246-7498, Jack Pugh - 877-3769, John Yates - 877-5179, Dean Watson - 877-4554, Jack Hardin - 246-9702.

ASSOCIATIONAL TRUSTEES

(Chm.) Jim Vannoy - 982-2150, Edd Harless - 384-2368, Lloyd Witherspoon - 246-9203, Ralph Davis - 384-3673, Earl Sheets, Sr. - 246-9963.

ASSN. MUSIC COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Dewey Campbell - 246-5951, Irene Campbell - 246-5951, Maureen Blackburn - 246-7067.

SEMINARY EXTENSION COMMITTEE

(Chm.) Jack Miller - 246-5361, Zenith Roten - 385-1448, Lillian Miller - 877-5588, Tim Moser - 384-4328, Bill Ballou - 246-5631.

ASSN. CAMP COMMITTEE

3 Year Term:
Brenda Elliott - 877-1270, Gwen Day - 877-4993, Harold Jordan - 377-4516.

2 Yr. Term:
Larry Powers - 246-9073, Brenda Phipps - 982-3041, Tim Church - 982-9205.

1 Yr. Term:
Ray Ham - 877-4568, Willa Dean Church - 877-5180, Kim Caparolie - 877-5256.

ASSN. YOUTH COUNCIL

(Chm.) Jim Rash - 384-4374 or 384-3240, Ervel Jones - 246-4611, Chris Goodman - 982-9577, Terry Hartzog - 877-4222, Willa Dean Church - 877-5180, Barbara Hodges - 246-3366, Cindy Davis - 384-3673, Derek Hopkins - 877-4420, Sue Pruitt - 877-3995, Jerry Absher - 246-2159, Doug Halsey - 982-9655, Vickie Young - 384-4656, Bob Calhoun - 384-3004, Donna Pollard - 982-2593, Allen Chester - 246-5141.

PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 1990-91

		1989-90	1990-91	
I.	EDUCATION & PROMOTION			
	1. Sunday School.....	800.00	800.00	
	2. Church Training.....	175.00	175.00	
	3. Brotherhood.....	100.00	100.00	
	4. WMU.....	75.00	75.00	
	5. Church Music.....	50.00	50.00	
	6. Stewardship Promotion.....	50.00	50.00	
	7. Vacation Bible School.....	250.00	250.00	
	8. Preacher's Bible Conference.....	250.00	250.00	
	9. Evangelism.....	650.00	650.00	
	10. Key Leadership.....	150.00	150.00	
	11. Assocational Youth Program.....	500.00	1000.00	+500.00
	Sub-Total	$3,050.00	$3,550.00	
II.	ASSOCIATIONAL OFFICE			
	1. Office Equipment.....	1,100.00	1,100.00	
	2. Printing & Supplies.....	1,800.00	2,500.00	+700.00
	3. Postage.....	1,400.00	1,400.00	
	4. Associational Calendar.....	400.00	400.00	
	5. Upkeep & Cleaning.....	200.00	200.00	
	Sub-Total	$4,900.00	$5,600.00	

III.	SALARIES & ALLOWANCES			
1.	Director of Missions.....	13,200.00	13,200.00	
2.	Retirement.....	4,050.00	4,050.00	
3.	Medical & Life Insurance....	5,000.00	5,000.00	
5.	Social Security Allowance...	3,200.00	3,200.00	
6.	Conventions & Conferences.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	
7.	Secretarial Help.....	4,420.00	4,420.00	
8.	Clerk/Treasurer.....	1,200.00	1,200.00	
9.	Employees S.S. Tax			
	(Office Secretary).....	350.00	400.00	+ 50.00
	(Assn. Clerk).....	100.00	100.00	
	Sub-Total	$34,220.00	$34,270.00	
V.	BUILDING & EQUIPMENT			
1.	Utilities.....	2,500.00	2,800.00	+ 300.00
2.	Insurance (Assn. Parson.)...	400.00	400.00	
3.	Building Repair.....	500.00	500.00	
	Sub-Total	$3,400.00	$3,700.00	
V.	MISCELLANEOUS			
1.	Mission Projects.....	100.00	100.00	
2.	Miscellaneous.....	400.00	1,400.00	+ 1,000.00
	Sub-Total	500.00	1,500.00	
	Grand Total	$45,870.00	$48,620.00	

CHURCH SUPPORT OF ASSOCIATION
July 1, 1989 thru June 30, 1990

APPLE GROVE	$50.00
BALD MOUNTAIN	1,915.63
BAPTIST HOME	0
BEAVER CREEK	429.40
BETHEL	356.92
BIG FLATTS	260.00
BIG LAUREL	275.00
BLUE RIDGE	100.00
BRISTOL	1,364.72
BUFFALO	216.71
CALVARY	0
CLIFTON	519.25
FARMER MEMORIAL	0
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	7,934.84
FRIENDLY GROVE	2,640.00

FRIENDSHIP.....2,525.92
GLENDALE SPRINGS.....165.00
GRASSY CREEK.....600.00
HEALING SPRINGS.....1,037.86
LANDMARK.....450.00
LAUREL KNOB.....562.59
LIBERTY GROVE.....750.00
LITTLE HELTON.....200.00
MIDWAY.....4,332.84
MISSION HOME.....1,166.76
MOUNT OLIVE.....575.00
NEW RIVER.....1,475.08
NORTH BEAVER.....884.00
OAK HILL.....120.00
OBIDS.....75.00
OLD FIELDS.....1,110.00
ORION.....1,560.86
PEAK VALLEY.....100.00
PHOENIX.....999.96
PILOT MOUNTAIN.....388.96
PINE SWAMP.....150.00
PLEASANT HOME.....1,040.45
PLEASANT VALLEY..... 0
PROSPERITY..... 0
RIVERVIEW - (WatchCare)
ROUND KNOB.....432.28
SABBATH HOME..... 0
STURGILLS.....1,000.00
THREE FORKS.....275.00
TRINITY.....2,340.27
TUCKERDALE.....600.00
WAGONER.....180.00
WARRENSVILLE.....290.00
WELCOME HOME.....500.00
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST.....1,500.00

CONTRIBUTIONS TO BAPTIST CAMP
Local Church Contributions

BALD MOUNTAIN.....240.00
BIG LAUREL.....60.00
BRISTOL.....50.00
CLIFTON.....50.00
FRIENDLY GROVE.....300.00
FRIENDSHIP.....335.00
GRASSY CREEK.....180.00

LAUREL KNOB.....50.00
LIBERTY GROVE.....200.00
MISSION HOME.....280.00
MOUNT OLIVE.....50.00
NEW RIVER.....396.48
NORTH BEAVER.....110.00
OBIDS.....60.00
OLD FIELDS.....100.00
ORION.....175.00
PLEASANT HOME.....50.00
PHOENIX.....100.00
THREE FORKS.....130.00
TUCKERDALE.....144.00
SOUTH BEAVER.....200.00
WAGONER.....120.00
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST.....300.00

CONTRIBUTIONS FROM INDIVIDUALS SISTER CHURCHES AND ASSOCIATIONS

Dale Costner.....70.00
Fairplains Baptist Church.....100.00
Skyline Telephone (Refund).....84.03
Rev. Jack Miller (Kelly, NC).....150.00
Mr. Bill N. Wood.....100.00
Clemmie Wilcox.....50.00
Mable Smith.....33.00
Mr./Mrs. Luther Anderson.....200.00
Baptist Home Baptist Church.....36.00
Goodwill Baptist Church.....30.00
Blue Ridge Electric (Refund).....6.21
Bill Ballou.....41.58
Dwight & Sandra Simmons.....105.00
Phil & Myra Kitchen.....50.00
Stone Mt. Baptist Association.....105.00

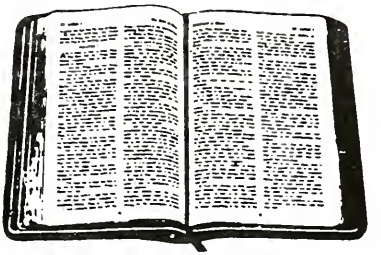
FINANICAL REPORT

On hand 1 July 1989	$ 555.88	
Support from the churches.	43,709.38	
Support from the Convention	252.00	
Received for "Here's Hope" Crusade	1,658.00	
Received for Minute Books	1,719.50	
Reimbursements, etc. from Convention	951.87	
Received from Mr. & Mrs. Jack Miller	150.00	
Miscellaneous receipts	1,872.51	
TOTAL ON HAND & RECEIVED		$50,869.14
PAID OUT:		
Director of Missions, salary	13,200.20	
Automobile expense	1,196.00	
Utilities	2,500.16	
Convention expense	1,502.80	
Cleaning supplies	200.20	
Social Security allowance	3,200.00	
Retirement	4,030.08	
Medical & Life Insurance premium	5,089.00	
Secretarial help	4,335.00	
Clerk/Treasurer	1,200.00	
Employees FICA taxes	419.77	
Office equipment	594.88	
Printing and supplies	2,338.67	
Postage	1,162.90	
Calendars	209.61	
Building repair	1,115.41	
Parsonage insurance	379.00	
Sunday School	668.43	
Brotherhood	96.00	
WMU	75.00	
VBS	66.00	
Associational Youth (Include $650.00 from Evangelism funds)	1,150.00	
Key Leadership	70.00	
State Missions Dinner	567.60	
Minute Books	2,127.82	
"Here's Hope" Crusade expense	1,494.94	
Miscellaneous expense	1,045.60	
TOTAL AMOUNT PAID OUT		$50,035.07
BALANCE ON HAND 31 June 1990		$834.07

Addendum I - ARTICLES OF FAITH
(The Baptist State Faith and Message as adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention in 1963)

THE BAPTIST FAITH and MESSAGE

A statement adopted by the Southern Baptist Convention



Baptist are a people who profess a living faith. This faith is rooted and grounded in Jesus Christ who is "the same yesterday and today and forever." Therefore, the sole authority for faith and practice among Baptists is Jesus Christ whose will is revealed in the Holy Scriptures.

A living faith must experience a growing understanding of truth and must be continually interpreted and related to the needs of each new generation. Throughout their history Baptist bodies' both large and small, have issued statements of faith which comprise a consensus of their beliefs. Such statements have never been regarded as complete, infallible statements of faith, nor as official creeds carrying mandatory authority. Thus this generation of Southern Baptists is in historic succession of intent and purpose as it endeavors to state for its time and theological climate those articles of the Christian faith which are most surely held among us.

Baptists emphasize the soul's competency before God, freedom in religion, and the priesthood of the believer. However, this emphasis should not be interpreted to mean that there is an absence of certain definite doctrines that Baptists believe, cherish, and with which they have been and are now closely identified.

It is the purpose of this statement of faith and message to set forth certain teachings which we believe.

The Scriptures

The Holy Bible was written by men divinely inspired and is the record of God's revelation of Himself to many. It is a perfect treasure of divine instruction. It has God for its author, salvation for its end, and truth, without any mixture of error, for its matter.

Ex. 24:4; Deut. 4:1-2; 17:19; Josh. 8:34; Psalm 19:7-10; 119:11; 89; 105; 140; It reveals the principles by which God judges us; and therefore is, and will remain to the end of the world, the true center of Christian union, and the supreme standard by which all human conduct, creeds, and religious opinions should be tried. The criterion by which the Bible is to be interpreted is Jesus Christ.

Isa. 34:16; 40:8; Jer. 15:16; 36; Matt. 5:17-18; 22-29; Luke 21;33; 44-46; John 5:39; 16:13-15; 17:17 Acts 2:16 ff.; 17:11; Rom. 15:4 16:25-26; 2Tim. 3:15-17; Heb. 1:1-2; 4:12; 1 Peter 1:25; 2 Peter 1:19-21

God

There is one and only one living and true God. He is an intelligent, spiritual, and personal Being, the Creator, Redeemer, Preserver, and Ruler of the universe. God is infinite in holiness and all other perfections. To Him we owe the highest love, reverence, and obedience. The eternal God reveals Himself to us a Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, with distinct personal attributes, but without division of nature, essence, or being.

A. God the Father

God as Father reigns with providential care over His universe, His creatures and the flow of the stream of human history according to the purpose of His grace. He is all powerful, all loving, and all wise. God is Father in truth to those who become children of God through faith in Jesus Christ. He is fatherly in His attitude toward all men.

Gen. 1:1; 2:7; Ex. 3:14; 6:2-3; 15:11 ff.; 20:1 ff.; Lev. 22:2; Deut. 6:4; 32:6; 1 Chron. 29:10; Psalm 19:1-3; Isa. 43:3, 15;64:8 Jer. 10:10;, 17:13; Matt. 6:9 ff.; 7:11; 23:9; 28:19; Mark 1:9-11; John 4:24; 5:26; 14:6-13; 17:1-8; Acts 1:7; Rom. 8:14-15; 1 Cor. 8:6; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 4:6; Col. 1:15; 1 Tim. 1:17; Heb. 11:6; 12:9; 1 Peter 1:17; 1 John 5:7

B. God the Son

Christ is the eternal Son of God. In His incarnation as Jesus Christ he was conceived of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. Jesus perfectly revealed and did the will of God, taking upon Himself the demands and necessities of human nature and identifying Himself completely with mankind yet without sin. He honored the divine law by His personal obedience, and in His death on the cross He made provision for the redemption of men from sin. He was raised from the dead with a glorified body and appeared to His disciples as the person who was with them before His crucifixion. He ascended into Heaven and is now exalted at the right hand of God where He is the One Mediator, partaking of the nature of God and of man, and in whose Person is effected the reconciliation between God and man. He will return in power and glory to judge the world and to consummmate His redemptive mission. He now dwells in all believers as the living and ever present Lord.

Gen. 18:1 ff.; Psalm 2:7 ff.; 110:1 ff.; Isa. 7:14; 53; Matt. 1:18-23; 3:17; 8:29; 11:27; 14:33; 16:16; 27; 17:5; 27; 28:1-6; 19; Mark 1:1; 3:11; Luke 1:35; 4:41; 22:70; 24:46; John 1:1-18; 29; 10:30; 38; 11:25-27; 12:44-50; 14:7-11; 16:15-16; 28; 17:1-5; 21-22; 20:1-20; 28; Acts 1:9; 2:22-24; 7:55-56; 9:4-5; 20; Rom. 1:3-4; 3:23-26; 5:6-21; 8:1-3; 34; 10-4; 1 Cor. 1:30; 2:2; 8:6; 15:1-8; 24-28; 2 Cor. 5:19-21; Gal. 4:4-5; Eph. 1:20; 3:11; 4:7-10; Phil. 2: 5-11; Col. 1: 13-22; 2:9; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 1 Tim. 2:5-6; 3:16; Titus 2:13-14; Heb. 1:1-3; 4:14-15; 7:14-28; 9:12-15; 24:28; 12:2; 13:8; 1 Peter 2:21-25; 3:22; 1 John 1:7-9; 3:2; 4:14-15; 5:9; 2 John 7-9; Rev. 1: 13-16; 5:9-14; 12:10-11; 13:8; 19:16

C. God the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit is the Spirit of God. He inspired holy men of old to write the scriptures. Through illumination He enables me to understand truth. He exalts Christ. He convicts of sin, of righteousness and of judgement. He calls men to the Saviour, and effects regeneration. He cultivates Christian characters, comforts believers, and bestows the spiritual gifts by which they serve God through His church. He seals the believers unto the day of final redemption. His presence in the Christian is the assurance of God to bring the believers into the fulness of the stature of Christ. He enlightens and empowers the believer and the church in worship, evangelism, and service.

Gen. 1:2; Judg. 14:6; Job 26:13; Psalm 51:11; 139; 7 ff.; Isa. 61:1-3; Joel 2: 28-32; Matt. 1:18; 3:16; 4:1; 12:28-32; 28:19; Mark 1:10; 12; Luke 1:35; 4:1; 18-19; 11:13; 12:12; 24-49; John 4:24; 14: 16-17; 26; 15:26; 16:7-14; Acts 1:8; 2: 1-4; 38; 4:31; 5:3; 6:3; 7:55; 8:17; 39; 10:44; 13:2; 15:28; 16:6; 19:1-6; Rom. 8:9-11; 14-16; 26-27; 1 Cor. 2:10-14; 3:16; 12:3-11; Gal. 4:6; Eph. 1:13-14; 4:30; 5:18; 1 Thes. 5:19; 1 Tim. 3:16; 4:1; 2 Tim. 1:14; 3:16; Heb. 9:8; 14:2; Peter 1-21; 1 John 4:13; 5:6-7; Rev. 1:10; 22:17

Men

Man was created by the special act of God, in his own image, and is the crowning work of His creation. In the beginning man was innocent of sin and was endowed by His Creator with freedom of choice. By his free choice man sinned against God and brought sin into the human race. Through the temptation of Satan man trangressed the command of God, and fell from his original innocence; whereby his posterity inherit a nature and an environmental inclined toward sin, and as soon as they are capable of moral action become transgressors and are under condemnation. Only the grace of God can bring man into His holy fellowship and enable man to fulfill the creative purpose of God. The sacredness of human personality is evident in that God created man in His own image, and in that Christ died for man; therefore every man possesses dignity and is worthy of respect and Christian love.

Gen. 1:26-30; 2:5; 7; 18-22; 3; 9-6; Psalm 1; 8:3-6; 32:1-5; 51:5; Isa. 6:5; Jer. 17:5; Matt. 16:26; Acts 17:26-31; Rom. 1:19,32; 3:10-18; 23; 5; 6; 12; 19; 6:6; 7:14-25; 8:14-18; 1 Cor. 1:21-31; 15:19; 21-22; Eph. 2:1-22; 3:9-11

Salvation

Salvation involves the redemption of the whole man, and is offered freely to all who accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour, who by His own blood obtained eternal redemption for the believer. In its broadest sense salvation includes regeneration, sanctification, and glorification.

A. Regeneration, or the new birth, is a work of God's grace whereby believers become new creatures in Christ Jesus. It is a change of heart wrought by the Holy Spirit through conviction of sin, to which the sinner responds in repentance toward God and faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Repentance and faith are inseparable experiences of grace. Repentance is a genuine turning from sin toward God. Faith is the acceptance of Jesus Christ and commitment of the entire personality to Him as Lord and Saviour. Justification is God's gracious and full acquittal upon principles of His righteousness of all sinners who repent and believe in Christ. Justification brings the believer into a relationship of peace and favor with God.

B. Sanctification is the experience, beginning in regeneration, by which the believer is set apart to God's purposes, and is enabled to progress toward moral and spiritual perfection through the presence and power of the Holy Spirit dwelling in him. Growth in grace should continue throughout the regenerate person's life.

C. Glorification is the culmination of salvation and is the final blessed and abiding state of the redeemed.

Gen. 3:15; Ex. 3:14-17; 6:2-8; Matt. 1:21; 4:17; 16:21-26; 27:22 to 28; 6; Luke 1:68-69; 2:28-32; John 1:11-14; 29; 3:3-21; 36; 5;24; 10:9; 28-29; 15:1-16; 17:17; Acts 2:21; 4:12; 15:11; 16:30-31; 17:30-31; 20:32; Rom. 1:16-18; 2:4; 3:23-25; 4:3 ff.; 5:8-10; 6:1-23; 8:1-18; 29-39; 10:9-10; 13:11-14; 1 Cor. 1:18; 30; 6: 19-20; 15:10; 2 Cor. 5:17-20; Gal. 2:20; 3:13, 5:22-25; 6:15; Eph. 1:7; 2:8-22; 4:11-16; Phil. 2:12-13; Col. 1:9-22; 3:1 ff.; 1 Thes. 5:23-24; 2 Tim. 1:12; Titus 2:11-14; Heb. 2:1-3; 5:8-9; 9:24-28; 11:1-12; 8; 14; James 2:14-16; 1 Peter 1:2-23; 1 John 1:6 to 2:11; Rev. 3:20; 21:1 to 22:5

God's Purpose and Grace

Election is the gracious purpose of God, according to which He regenerates, sanctifies, and glorifies sinners. It is consistent with the free agency of man, and comprehends all the means in connection with the end. It is a glorious display of God's sovereign goodness, and is infinitely wise, holy, and unchangeable. It excludes boasting and promotes humility.

All true believers endure to the end. Those whom God has accepted in Christ, and sanctified by His Spirit, will never fall away from the state of grace, but shall persevere to the end. Believers may fall into sin through neglect and temptation, whereby they grieve the Spirit, impair their graces and comforts, bring reproach on the cause of Christ, and temporal judgements on themselves, yet they shall be kept by the power of God through faith unto salvation.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-8; Sam. 8:4-7; 19-22; Isa. 5:1-7; Jer. 31:31 ff.; Matt. 16:18-19; 21:28-45; 24:22; 31; 25:34; Luke 1:68-79; 2:29-32; 19:41-44; 24:44-48; John 1:12-14; 3:16; 5:24; 6:44-45; 65; 10:27-29; 15; 16; 17:6; 12:17-18; Acts 20:32; Rom. 5:9-10; 8:28-39; 10:12-15;

11:5-7; 26-36; 1 Cor. 1:1-2; 15:24-28; Eph. 1:4-23; 2:1-10; 3:1-11; Col. 1:12-14; 2 Thes. 2:13-14; 2 Tim. 1:12; 2:10; 19; Heb. 11:39; 12:2; 1 Peter 2-5; 13; 2:4-10; 1 John 1:7-9; 2:19; 3:2

The Church

A New Testament church of the Lord Jesus Christ is a local body of baptized believers who are associated by covenant in the faith and fellowship of the gospel, observing the two ordinances of Christ, committed to His teachings, exercising the gifts, rights, and privileges invested in them by His Word, and seeking to extend the gospel to the ends of the earth.

This church is an autonomous body, operating through democratic processes under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. In such a congregation members are equally responsible. Its Scriptural officers are pastors and deacons.

The New Testament speaks also of the church as the body of Christ which includes all of the redeemed of all ages.

Matt. 16:15-19; 18:15-20; Acts 2:41-42; 47; 5:11-14; 6:3-6; 13:1-3; 14:23; 27; 15:1-30; 16:5 20:28; Rom. 1:7; 1 Cor. 1:2; 3:16; 5:4-5; 7:17; 9:13-14; 12; Eph. 1:22-23; 2:19-22; 3:8-11; 21; 5:22-32; Phil. 1:1; Col. 1:18; 1 Tim. 3:1-15; 4:14; 1 Peter 5:1-4; Rev. 2-3; 21:2-3

Baptism and the Lord's Supper

Christian baptism in the immersion of a believer in water in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. It is an act of obedience symbolizing the believer's faith in a crucified, buried, and risen Saviour, the believer's death to sin, the burial of the old life, and in the resurrection to walk in newness of life in Christ Jesus. It is a testimony to his faith in the final resurrection of the dead. Being a church ordinance, it is prerequisite to the privileges of church membership and to the Lord's Supper.

The Lord's Supper is a symbolic act of obedience whereby members of the church, through partaking of the bread and the fruit of the vine, memorialize the death of the Redeemer and anticipate His second coming.

Matt. 3:13-17; 26:26-30; 28:19-20; Mark 1:9-11; 14:22-26; Luke 3:21-22; 22:19-20; John 3:23; Acts 2:41-42; 8:35-39; 16:30-33; Acts 20:7; Rom. 6:3-5; 1 Cor. 10:16; 21; 11:23-29; Col. 2:12

The Lord's Day

The first day of the week is the Lord's Day. It is a Christian institution for regular observance. It commemorates the resurrection of Christ from the dead and should be employed in exercises of worship and spiritual devotion, both public and private, and by refraining from worldy amusements, and resting from secular employments, work of necessity and mercy only being excepted.

Ex. 20:8-11; Matt. 12:1-12; 28:1 ff.; Mark 2:27-28; 16:1-7;Luke 24:1-3; 33-36; John 4:21-24; 20:1; 19-28; Acts 20:7; 1 Cor. 16:1-2, Col. 2:16; 3:16; Rev. 1:10

The Kingdom

The Kingdom of God includes both His general sovereignty over the universe and His particular kinship over men who willfully acknowledge Him as King. Particularly the Kingdom is the realm of salvation into which men enter by trustful, childlike, commitment to Jesus Christ. Christians ought to pray and to labor that the Kingdom may come and God's will be done on earth. The full consummation of the Kingdom awaits the return of Jesus Christ and the end of this age.

Gen. 1:1; Isa. 9:6-7; Jer. 23;5-6; Matt. 3:2; 4:8-10; 23; 12:25-28; 13:1-52; 25:31-46; 26:29; Mark 1:14-15; 9-1; Luke 4:43; 8:1; 9:2; 12:31-32; 17:20-21; 23:42; John 3:3; 18-36; Acts 1:6-7; 17:22-31; Rom. 5:17; 8:19; 1 Cor. 15:24-28; Col. 1:13; Heb. 11:10 16; 12:28; 1 Peter 2:4-10; 4:13; Rev. 1:6; 9; 5:10; 11:15; 21-22

Last Things

God, in His own time and in His own way, will bring the world to its appropriate end. According to His promise, Jesus Christ will return personally and visibly in glory to the earth; the dead will be raised; and Christ will judge all men in righteousness. The unrighteous will be consigned to Hell, the place of everlasting punishment. The righteous in their resurrected and glorified bodies will receive their reward and will dwell forever in Heaven with the Lord.

Isa. 2:4; 11:9; Matt. 16-27; 18:8-9; 19:28; 24:27; 30; 36; 44; 25:31-46; 26:64; Mark 8:38; 9:43-48; Luke 12:40; 48; 16:19-26; 17:22-37; 21:27-28; John 14:1-3; Acts 1:11; 17:31; Rom. 14:10; 1 Cor. 4:5; 15:24-28; 35-58; 2 Cor. 5:10; Phil. 3:20-21; Col. 1:5; 3:4; 1 Thes. 4:14-18; 5:1 ff.; 2 Thes. 1:7 ff.; 2; 1 Tim. 6:14; 2 Tim. 4:1; 8; Titus 2:13; Heb. 9:27-28; James 5:8 2 Peter 3:7 ff.; 1 John 2:28; 3-2; Jude 14; Rev. 1:18; 3:11; 20:1 to 22:13

Evangelism and Missions

It is the duty and privilege of every follower of Christ and of every church of the Lord Jesus Christ to endeavor to make disciples of all nations. The new birth of man's spirit by God's Holy Spirit means the birth of love for others. Missionary efforts on the part of all rests thus upon a spiritual necessity of the regenerate life, and is expressly and repeatedly commanded in the teachings of Christ. It is the duty of every child of God to seek constantly to win the lost to Christ by personal effort and by all other methods in harmony with the gospel of Christ.

Gen. 12:1-3; Ex. 19:5-6; Isa. 6:1-8; Matt. 9:37-38; 10:5-15; 13:18-30; 37-43; 16:19; 22:9-10; 24:14; 28:18-20; Luke 10:1-18; 24:46-53; John 14:11-12; 15:7-8; 16; 17:15; 20:21; Acts 1:8; 2; 8:26-40; 10:42-48; 13:2-3; Rom. 10: 13-15; Eph. 3:1-11; 1 Thes. 1:8; 2 Tim. 4-5; Heb. 2:1-3; 11:39 to 12:2 1 Peter 2:4-10; Rev. 22:17

Education

The cause of education in the Kingdom of Christ is co-ordinate with the causes of missions and general benevolence, and should receive along with these the liberal support of the churches. An adequate system of Christian schools is necessary to a complete spiritual program for Christ's people.

In Christian education there should be a proper balance between academic freedom and academic responsibility. Freedom in any orderly relationship of human life is always limited and never absolute. The freedom of a teacher in a Christian school, college, or seminary is limited by the preeminence of Jesus Christ, by the authoritive nature of the Scriptures, and by the distinct purpose for which the school exists.

Deut. 4:1; 5:9; 14; 6:1-10; 31:12-13; Neh. 8:1-8; Job 28:28; Psalm 19:7 ff.; 119:11; Prov. 3:13 ff.; 4:1-10; 8:1-7; 11; 15:14; Eccl. 7:19; Matt. 5:2; 7:24 ff.; 28:19-20; Luke 2:40; 1 Cor. 1:18-31; Eph. 4:11-16; Phil. 4:8; Col. 2:3; 8-9; 1 Tim. 1:3-7; Tim. 2:15; 3:14-17; Heb. 5:12 to 6:3; James 1:5; 3:17

Stewardship

God is the source of all blessings, temporal, and spiritual; all that we have and are we owe to Him. Christians have a spiritual debtorship to the whole world, a holy trusteeship in the gospel, and a binding

stewardship in their possessions. They are therefore under obligations to serve Him with their time, talents, and material possessions; and should recognize all these as entrusted to them to use for the glory of God and for helping others. According to the Scriptures, Christians should contribute of their means cheerfully, regularly, systematically, proportionately, and liberally for the advancement of the Redeemer's cause on earth.

Gen. 14:20; Lev. 27:30-32; Deut. 8:18; Ma. 3:8-12; Matt. 6:1-4; 19-21; 23:23; 25:14-29; Luke 12:16-21; 42; 16:1-13; Acts 2:44-47; 5:1-11, 17:24-25; Rom. 6:6-22; 12:1-2; 1 Cor. 4:1-2; 6:19-20; 12; 16:1-4; 2 Cor. 8-9; 12:15; Phil. 4:10-19; 1 Peter 1:18-19

Cooperation

Christ's people should, as occasion requires, organize such associations and conventions as may best secure cooperation for the great objects of the Kingdom of God. Such organizations have no authority over one another or over the churches. They are voluntary and advisory designed to elicit, combine, and direct the energies of our people in the most effective manner. Members of New Testament churches should cooperate with one another in carrying forward the missionary, educational, and benevolent ministries for the extension of Christ's Kingdom. Christian unity in the New Testament sense is spiritual harmony and voluntary cooperation for common ends by various groups of Christ's people. Cooperation is desirable between the various Christian denominations, when the end to be attained is itself justified, and when such cooperation involves no violation of conscience or compromise of loyalty to Christ and His Word as revealed in the New Testament.

Ex. 17:12; 18:17 ff.; Judg. 7:21; Ezra 1:3-4; 2:68-69; 5:14-15; Neh. 4; 8:1-5; Matt. 10:5-15; 20:1-16; 22:1-10; 28:19-20; Mark 2:3; Luke 10:1 ff.; Acts 1:13-14; 2:1 ff.; 4:31-37; 13:2-3; 15:1-35; 1 Cor. 1:10-17; 3:5-15; 12; 2 Cor. 8-9; Gal. 1:6-10; Eph. 4:1-16; Phil. 1:15-18

The Christian and the Social Order

Every Christian is under obligation to seek to make the will of Christ supreme in his own life and in human society. Means and methods used for the improvement of society and the establishment of righeousness among men can be truly and permanently helpful only when they are rooted in the regeneration of the individual by the

saving grace of God in Christ Jesus. The Christian should oppose in the spirit of Christ every form of greed, selfishness, and vice. He should work to provide for the orphaned, the needy, the aged, the helpless and the sick. Every Christian should seek to bring industry, government, and society as a whole under the sway of the principles of righteousness, truth and brotherly love. In order to promote these ends Christians should be ready to work with all men of good will in any good cause always being carefull to act in the spirit of love without compromising their loyalty to Christ and His truth.

Ex. 20:3-17; Lev. 6:2-5; Deut. 10:12; 27:17; Psalm 101:5; Mic. 6:8; Zech. 8:16; Matt. 5:13-16; 43-48; 22:36-40; 25:35; Mark 1:29-34; 2:3 ff.; 10:21; Luke 4:18-21; 10:27-37; 20-25; John 15:12; 17:15; Rom. 12-14; 1 Cor. 5:9-10; 6:1-7; 7:20-24; 10:23 to 11:1; Gal. 3:26-28; Eph. 6:5-9; Col. 3:12-17; Thes. 3:12; Philemon; James 1:27:2-8

Peace and War

It is the duty of Christians to seek peace with all men on principles of righteousness. In accordance with the spirit and teachings of Christ they should do all in their power to put an end to war.

The true remedy for the war spirit is the gospel of our Lord. The supreme need of the world is the acceptance of His teachings in all the affairs of men and nations, and the practical applications of His laws of love.

Isa. 2:4; Matt. 5:9; 38-48; 6:33; 26-52; Luke 22:36; 38; Rom. 12:18-19; 13:1-7; 14:19; Heb. 12:14; James 4:1-2

Religious Liberty

God alone is Lord of the conscience and He has left it free from the doctrines and commandments of men which are contrary to His Word or not contained in it. Church and state should be separate. The state owes to every church protection and full freedom in the pursuit of its spiritual ends. In providing for such freedom no ecclesiastical group or denomination should be favored by the state more than others. Civil government being ordained of God, it is the duty of Christians to render loyal obedience thereto in all things not contrary to the

revealed will of God. The church should not resort to the civil power to carry on its work. The gospel of Christ contemplates spiritual means alone for the pursuit of its ends. The state has no right to impose penalties for religious opinions of any kind. The state has no right to impose taxes for the support of any form of religion. A free church in a free state is the Christian ideal, and this implies the right of free and unhindered access to God on the part of all men, and the right to form and propagate opinions in the sphere of religion without interference by the civil power.

Gen. 1:27; 2:7; Matt 6:6-7; 24:16:26; 22:21; John 8:36; Acts 4:19-20; Rom. 6:1-2; 13:1-7; Gal. 5:1 13; Phil. 3:20; 1 Tim. 2:1-2; James 4:12; 1 Peter 2:12-17; 3:11-17; 4:12-19

CONSTITUTION

Article I - Name and Membership

Section 1. This body shall be called the Ashe Baptist Association.

Section 2. This Association shall consist of all Baptist Churches in Ashe County, North Carolina, and communitites closely adjacent thereto, of like faith and practice who wish to affiliate with this Association and are loyal to the faith and practice of the Baptist Denomination.

Section 3. The membership of this body shall be the pastor and three (3) delegates from each church. A letter certifying their appointment and giving the statistics of the membership and work of the church shall be sent to the clerk at least fifteen (15) days before the opening of the session.

Section 4. Any church reported to be irregular in faith or in practice may be investigated by order of the Association and such action taken, as may be decided upon by the Association.

Section 5. The Association shall be sole judge of its membership and may receive churches according to the Association's Constitution and By-Laws. Any church in the Association which fails to cooperate with the association for two consecutive years shall be contacted by the Executive Committee of the association to ascertain the wishes and desires of the church relative to its continuance in the association.

A cooperating church shall be defined as one which sends a report (Church Letter) to the annual session, is represented (by messengers) at the annual session, contributes to the financial program of the association and is in general sympathy with the purposes of the association. The association recognizes that any affiliated church has the right to withdraw its fellowship from the association.

Article II - Purpose

Section 1. The purpose of this Association shall be an organized effort to unite the churches of the Association in devising and promoting measures and programs for the spread of the gospel in our bounds and in all the world in compliance with the teaching of the New Testament and in cooperating with the Baptist State Convention of North Carolina and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Article III - Annual Church Letters

Section 1. The churches shall report annually statistical and general information upon a printed form furnished by the Clerk of the Association. The printed form shall be furnished to the Church at least six weeks before the convening of an annual session of the Association and returned to the Clerk at least fifteen days before the opening of such session.

Article IV - Officers and Their Duties

Section 1. The officers of this Association shall be: Moderator, Vice-Moderator, Clerk, Treasurer, Associational Missionary and the heads of such organizations as are set up and approved by the Association. The offices of Clerk and Treasurer may be the same person at the discretion of the body.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Moderator of the Association (Vice-Moderator in his absence or disability) to preside over the annual sessions and all special sessions including the meetings of the Executive Committee. As the presiding officer, he shall open the meetings punctually at the appointed time, enforce the rules, preserve the order, and exercise all the prerogatives of a presiding officer according to the principles of established parlimentary usage. He shall name the committees and representatives of Institutions and agencies described in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 of Article V of the Constitution at the opening of the annual session. He shall be elected for a one year term, and he cannot succeed himself after the second consecutive term.

Section 3. The Clerk shall keep a correct record of the proceedings of the body and under the direction of the Executive Committee, superintend the printing and distribution of the Minutes of the Association.

Section 4. The treasurer shall have charge of all Associational funds as the Association may direct and make a report of receipts and disbursements at each annual session.

Section 5. (1) The Director of Missions shall be elected upon a recommendation of the Committee on Missions, and by vote of the Association at a regularly scheduled meeting. The relationship between the Association and its Director of Missions may be terminated following a reasonable notice of not less than 30 days.

(2) The Director of Missions shall promote the work and witness of the Association and denomination, cooperating with the churches, their pastors and officers and Associational committees and organizations.

A. He shall be responsible for planning, promoting and executing the ministry of the Association in cooperation with the Committee on Missions.

B. He shall make an annual report to the Association at the August meeting.

C. He shall be an ex officio member of all committees of the Association serving in an advisory and/or resource capacity.

D. He shall seek to visit each church in the Association in order to:

(1) Enrich Christian fellowship among churches.

(2) Encourage and strengthen the ministry of the churches.

(3) Enhance the cooperative relationship between the churches and the Association.

E. He shall, when necessary, conduct surveys or inquiries in order to determine specific needs for ministry within the area of the Association.

F. He shall, upon request, provide a list of qualified persons who may be considered by churches seeking pastors.

G. He shall have full administrative responsibility for all personnel employed by the Association.

(3) The Director of Missions is entitles to two weeks vacation annually. Upon completion of five years service, the Director of Missions shall be entitled to three weeks annual vacation, and after ten years, four weeks annual vacation. Vacation is to be taken within the calendar year, and it is not accumulative.

The Director Of Missions is entitled to 30 days sick leave per calendar year, sick leave is not to be taken as vacation, and it is not accumulative.

(4) Should there occur at any time a grievance on the part of the Association or the Director of Missions, either party may consult with the Moderator and Chairmen of the Missions Committees.

Section 6. The officers of the other organizations within the Association shall be nominated by their respective organizations and their names furnished, and presented to the Association for action at each annual session.

Section 7. The officers designated in Section 1, the Associational missionary excepted, shall be elected at the morning session of the first day of the annual meeting and shall assume their duties at the close of the annual meeting at which they are elected and serve until the close of the next session.

Article V - Committees and Their Duties

Section 1. The committees of the Association shall be: Executive Committee, Committee on New Churches, Program Committee, Committee on Place and Preacher, Resolutions Committee, Mission Committee, and such other committees as the Association may designate and name at any annual session.

Section 2. The Association Executive Committee shall be composed of one lay member of all churches, the pastors of such churches and the officers of the Association as listed under Section 1 of Article IV. Twelve members of this committee shall constitute a quorum to transact business, after notice of such meeting has been mailed or otherwise given to all members of the committee at least three days prior to the proposed meeting. Members of this committee shall be elected by the churches annually.

Section 3. The Committee on New Churches shall consist of the Moderator, ex officio, three pastors and three laymen, which shall supervise and direct the organization of new churches in accordance with the rules and practice of the denomination and with a careful consideration of the location of any proposed new church and the eligibility of such group for admission to the Association.

Section 4. The Program Committee shall consist of five members who shall prepare an order of business for the annual meeting, including the designating of persons to make reports as to the various objects supported by the Churches of the Association, and prepare printed mimeographed copies of the same for distribution for those attending the sessions of the Association.

Section 5. The Committee on Place and Preacher shall consist of three members who may be appointed by the Moderator with the consent of the Association. At each annual session this Committee shall recommend to the Association a place or places for the holding of the annual meeting of the Association and shall designate a minister to deliver the Associational Sermon and an alternate.

Section 6. The Resolutions Committee shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Moderator. This committee shall prepare and submit to the Association such resolutions as it may consider pertinent and proper for the good of the body.

Section 7. The Moderator shall name a nominating committee of five members who shall bring to the next annual session following their appointment, nominations for the several officers of the association, including, Moderator, Vice-Moderator, and Clerk/Treasurer. Exceptions will be Organizational Heads which are named by their respective organizations. The Nomination Committee shall also submit the names of all committee members, the only exceptions beng the Nominating, Place & Preacher, and Resolutions Committees which are appointed by the Moderator. The Officers and Committees named in this article shall be elected on the first day of each annual session, subject to additional nomination from the floor and the expressed will of the Association.

Section 8. The Moderator is authorized and directed to appoint suitable persons at each session to prepare and present to the next session reports on the various subjects and causes customary to be presented and to notify such persons in due time before the meeting of the Association.

Section 9. The Board of Directors of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp shall consist of nine members who shall initially be chosen, three (3) for one year, three (3) for two years, and three(3) for three years.

Of the said nine members, three shall be active pastors in the Association. After the completion of one term, no member shall be eligible for re-election to this board until after the lapse of one year. No more than one member of this board may be chosen from any one church of the Association. The treasurer of the Ashe Baptist Summer Camp (who shall serve in addition to the nine member Board of Directors) shall be elected by the Board of Directors on an indefinite basis. He/She shall have charge of the collection and disbursement

of all designated funds as instructed by the Board of Directors. He/She shall have voting privileges as do other members.

It shall be the duty of the Board of Directors to cooperate with the officials, pastors, and Executive Committee of the Association in promoting and advancing the development and operation of the camp; to supervise and direct the work of the camp; and to make a report to the Association at each annual meeting. Vacancies occuring in this organization shall be filled in accordance with the provision of Section 7 hereof.

Section 10. The Missions Committee shall consist of seven (7) members, five (5) of which shall be heads of the following organizations: Sunday School, Discipleship Training, Brotherhood, W.M.U., and Church Music. The names of these five (5) shall be submitted to the associational nominating committee by their respective organizations and voted on by the fully body on the first day of the annual meeting. The other two (2) members shall be active pastors in the association and they shall be named by the associational nominating committee. They too shall be elected along with the organizational heads. Should any of the before mentioned organizations fail to submit the name of a person nominated by themselves to serve as head of that organization, then the associational nominating committee shall be responsible for nominating that person.

These seven (7) people shall constitute the Director Of Missions Search Committee when such a need arises. This committee shall work with the Director of Missions in promoting the work of the association and lead and assist in determining need for beginning new mission stations and organizing new churches. The Moderator and Director of Missions shall be ex-officio members of this committee.

Section 11. The Ordination Committee shall consist of five (5) members, at least three of whom shall be pastors, serving in the association. The Chairman, at his discretion, may invite the pastor of a candidate to sit with the committee. Churches of the association desiring to ordain a preacher to the Gospel Ministry and desiring to use the services of the Ordination Committee of the Ashe Baptist Association shall use the following procedure.

1. The church in conference shall vote to ask the Ordination Committee to examine the candidate and so notify the chairman.
2. The candidate shall meet the following conditions before ordination.

(a) Hold membership in a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.

(b) Shall have been called a pastor of a Cooperating Missionary Baptist Church.

(c) Shall have held a license to preach, issued by a cooperating Missionary Baptist Church for not less than six months.

3. The Chairman shall set a suitable time and place, notifying the members, for the examination.

4. The candidate shall be examined as to his Conversion, Call to the Ministry, Doctrinal Beliefs, Attitude toward our denomination and its programs.

5. The Committee Chariman shall notify the church of its recommendations and they may proceed with the ordination.

Article V - Section 12

Section 12. The Evangelism Committee, composed of 6 members, shall promote the work of Evangelism in the churches and the association in cooperation with the State Department of Evangelism. All plans and programs to be subject to the approval of the Association or its executive Committee.

Article V - Section 13 Constitution and By-Laws Committee

Section 13. The nominating committee shall nominate a committee on Constitution and By-Laws consisting of five members, of which the first named shall serve as chairman. It shall be the duty of this committee to receive, examine and make recommendations to the Association on all proposed amendments to the Constitution or the By-Laws.

Article V - Section 14 - Properties Committee

Section 14. The nominating committee shall nominate a Properties Committee which shall consist of three members and shall have the reponsibility of recommending the purchase of necessary property and the construction of necessary buildings. This committee shall recommend any repairs and improvements needed on associational property. All recommendations subject to approval by the Executive Committee between sessions or the full-body session.

ARTICLE V - Section 15 - Committee On Finance (Job Description)

The Committee On Finance, composed of five (5) members and the treasurer, shall study the Association's financial needs for an adequate program, prepare and present a budget to the Association's financial needs for an adequate program, prepare and present a budget to the

Association for the following year, devise and develop plans for securing the cooperation of churces in providing funds to meet the budget. The treasurer will submit a complete financial report at the annual meeting in August.

ARTICLE V - Section 16 - Committee On Youth (Job Description)

The Committe on Youth shall be composed of at least nine (9) members, three (3) of which shall be ministers. The chairman shall be selected from within their own ranks. The committee shall be concerned with ways of relating youth to the churches of the association and shall lead the churches and association to plan programs and activities that will meet their needs.

ARTICLE V - Section 17 - Seminary Extension Committee (Job Description)

The Seminary Extension Committee, composed of five (5) members, shall work with the chairman of the committee to plan, promote, and implement the offering of such courses of study as will meet the needs of pastors and laypersons in the areas of biblical studies, historical theology, baptist life, church administration, Christian education, and pastorl training.

ARTICLE V - Section 18 - Trustees (Job Descripton)

There shall be three (3) trustees of the association. They shall handle all legal matters of the Association under the direction of the said Association. Trustees shall be elected for an indefinite term and shall serve at the pleasure of the Association.

ARTICLE V - Section 19 - Associational Historian (Job Description)

The Associational Historian, in His/her sole discretion, shall collect facts of interest to the Association and the cooperating churches, and shall make a report to each annual session of the Association. In addition, He/She shall contact hosting churches of the annual meeting and request a brief history of each church for publication in the BOOK OF REPORTS AND THE ASSOCIATIONAL ANNUAL.

Article VI - Meetings and Reports

Section 1. The Association shall hold an annual meeting convening in the month of August of each year, at such time and place as may be designated or authorized by the previous session.

Section 2. Each organization within the Association shall make a written report to the Association at each annual meeting.

Section 3. A special session of the Association may be called by the Moderator with the approval of the Executive Committee.

Article VII - Order of Religious Exercises

Section 1. At the morning session of each annual meeting the Associational Sermon shall be delivered as herein before provided.

Section 2. In addition to the Associational Sermon, the Program Committee shall designate a minister to deliver at least one other sermon each day the Association is in session and all business shall be suspended while such sermons are being delivered. No sermon shall be scheduled so as to conflict or interfere with the business sessions of the Association or the presentation of reports to the Association.

Article VIII - Power and Perogatives

Section 1. The Association shall have no power to infringe upon the rights of the churches composing it. However, it may withdraw fellowhip from any church that becomes irregular in faith or disorderly in practice or refuses to cooperate with the Association in the essential work of the same.

Article IX - Amendments

Section 1. This Constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of the members present, and voting on the second day, provided that such amendment is presented in writing on the first day or that notice of such amendment shall have been given during the previous annual session.

Abstracts of Principles

1. We believe in one true and living God, and that there are three persons in the God-Head: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, and these three are One.

2. We believe that the Bible, the Old and New Testament, is the Word of God and the Only rule of Faith and practice.

3. We believe in the impotency of man and the sovereignty of God.

4. We believe that Salvation is by Grace through Faith in our Lord Jesus Christ.

5. We believe that Baptism and the Lord's Supper are ordinances instituted by Jesus to be practiced only by believers in their spiritual order.

6. We believe that Baptism is the immersion of a believer in water by a qualified administrator, and that those who are thus baptized and are in fellowship with the church in feeling and doctrine should take the Lord's Supper.

7. We believe in the final perserverance of the Saints in Grace and Glory.

8. We believe in a separate resurrection and judgment, both for the righteous, and unrighteous dead.

9. We believe that the existence of the righteous and the wicked will both be of eternal duration, and that the happiness of the righteous and the punishment of the wicked will both be eternal.

Rules of Order

1. Every session shall be opened and closed by prayer.

2. When the Moderator calls the house to order, every member shall at once take his seat.

3. When a member wishes to speak, he shall rise and address the Moderator, and not proceed until he is recognized.

1. Apple Grove
2. Bald Mountain
3. Baptist Home
4. Beaver Creek
5. Bethel
6. Big Flatts
7. Big Laurel
8. Blue Ridge
9. Bristol
10. Buffalo
11. Calvary
12. Clifton
13. Farmer Memorial
14. Fletcher Memorial
15. Friendly Grove
16. Friendship
17. Glendale Springs
18. Grassy Creek
19. Healing Springs
20. Landmark
21. Laurel Knob
22. Liberty Grove
23. Little Helton
24. Midway
25. Mission Home
26. Mount Olive
27. New River
28. North Beaver
29. Oak Hill
30. Obids
31. Old Fields
32. Orion
33. Peak Valley
34. Phoenix
35. Pilot Mountain
36. Pine Swamp
37. Pleasant Home
38. Pleasant Valley
39. Prosperity
40. Round Knob
41. Sabbath Home
42. Sturgills
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47. Warrensville
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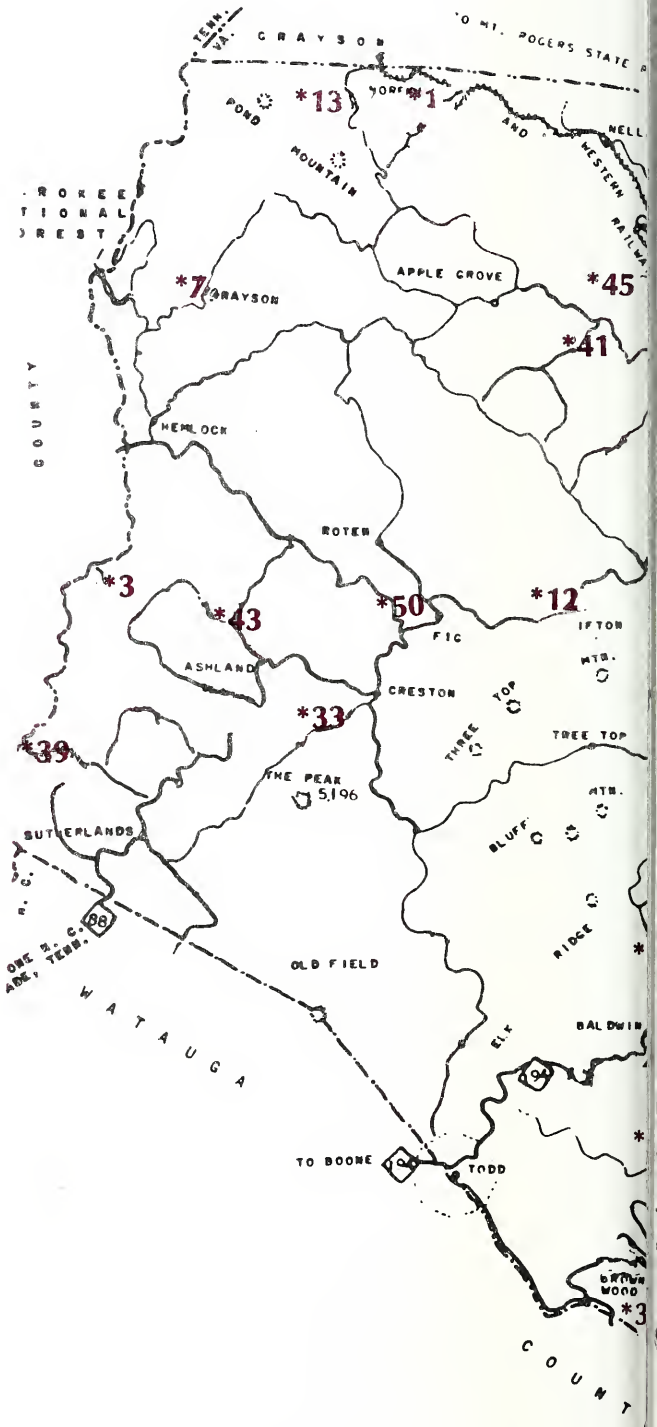

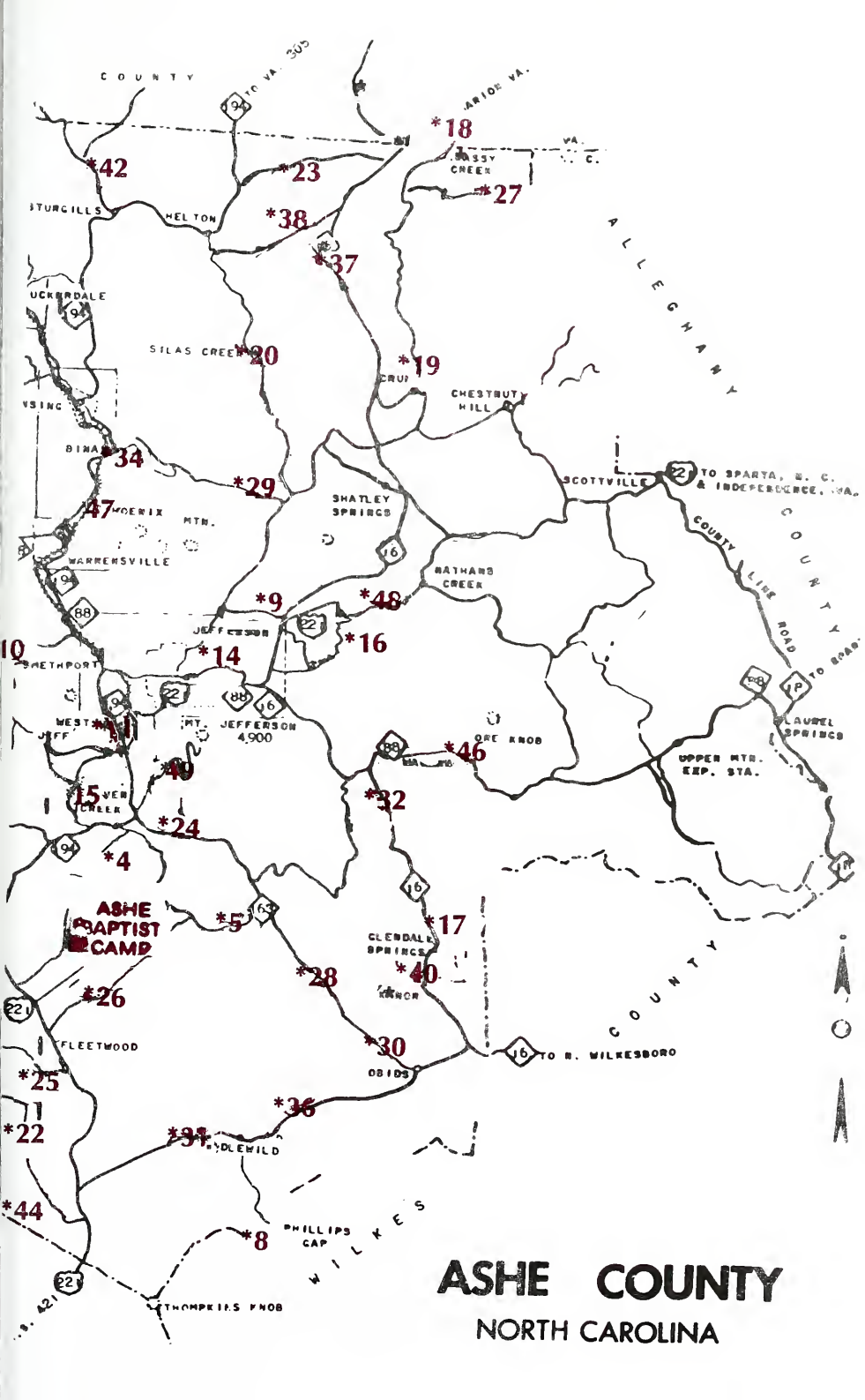
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4. No member shall speak more than twice on any subject except by permission of the body.

5. It shall be counted disorder for any member to stand up, leave the house or hold private conversation while any person is speaking.

Church Covenant

Having been led as we believe, by the Spirit of God, to receive the Lord Jesus Christ as our Saviour, and on profession of our faith, having been baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, we do now, in the presence of God, angels and the assemble, most solemnly and joyfully enter into this covenant with one another, as one body in Christ.

We engage, therefore, by the aid of the Holy Spirit, to walk together in Christian love; to strive for the advancement of this church, in knowledge, holiness and comfort to promote its prosperity and spirituality; to sustain its worship, ordinances, discipline and doctrines; to contribute cheerfully and regularly to the support of the ministry, the expenses of the church and the relief of the poor; and the spread of the Gospel through all nations.

We also engage to maintain family and secret devotions; to religiously educate our children; to seek the salvation of our kindred and acquaintances; to walk circumspectly in the world; to be just in our dealing, faithful in our engagements, and exemplary in our department; to avoid all tattling, back biting and excessive anger; to abstain from the sale and use of intoxicating drinks as a beverage; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the kingdom of our Saviour.

We further engage to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate Christian sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense but always ready for reconciliation; and mindful of the rule of our Saviour to secure it without delay.

We moreover engage that when we remove from this place we will, as soon as possible, unite with some other church, where we can carry out the spirit of this covenant and the principles of God's Word.

MINUTES OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH ANNUAL SESSION OF THE ASHE BAPTIST ASSOCIATION
Friday, August 17, 1990

The One-Hundred Fourth Annual Session of the Ashe Baptist Association met on August 17, 1990, with the afternoon session commencing at 2:00 p.m., being hosted by and meeting at Fletcher Memorial Baptist Church. The theme of this year's annual meeting is "Churches Giving Hope".

Call to order by Moderator David Blackburn.

Congregational hymn "Praise Him, Praise Him" lead by Dewey Campbell and Jimmy Warden.

Welcome and devotion by our Director of Missions, Rev. Bill Ballou, who read the 133 Psalms and lead in prayer.

Moderator Blackburn read the Rules of Order. He also conducted the organizational session which included: (1) seating of the messengers, (2) Adoption of order of business as printed in the book of reports by a motion made by Hank Saralegui of Midway Church, a second by Al Thacker of North Beaver, (3) recognition of visitors, (4) recognition of new pastors which included Chris Goodman of Three Forks, and Roger Sheets of Big Laurel. During (5) recognition of new churches, a request was heard from Riverview Baptist Church, with Rev. Bill Day as pastor, to become a member of the Association. A motion to admit them under a year's watch care of the churches was made by Rev. Marvin Smith, seconded by Rev. Garrett Mahaffey, voted on and carried.

Eddie Duncan of Buffalo Baptist Church made a motion that the committee appointments as listed on page 5 of the book of reports be approved, seconded by Posy Owens of Healing Springs Church, voted on and carried.

During the business session the following officers and organizational heads were voted on and approved: (1) Rev. Ervel Jones as Moderator, and at this point he assumed his duties and conducted the balance of the meeting; (2) Rev. Billy Joe Blevins as Vice-Moderator (upon a motion by Billy Smith and second by James Taylor); (3) Jeannie McNeill as Clerk/Treasurer (upon a motion by Eddie Duncan and second by Dewey Campbell; (4) Bernard Bare as Sunday School Director (upon a motion by Fred Walters and a second by John Leek); (5) Gwen Elliott as Discipleship Training Director (upon a motion by Jim Rash and a second by Toni Saralegui); (6) Ruth Calhoun as WMU Director (upon a motion by John Leek and a second by Kermit Goodman; (7) Dewey Campbell, Church Music Director (upon a motion by Charles Edwards and a second by Eddie Duncan); and (8) William Fairchild as Brotherhood Director (upon a motion by Bill Burchette and a second by Ruth Calhoun).

Roll call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill with the following 40 churches having representatives present: Bald Mountain, Beaver Creek, Bethel, Big Flatts, Big Laurel, Bristol, Buffalo, Calvary, Clifton, Fletcher Memorial, Friendly Grove, Friendship, Glendale Springs, Grassy Creek, Healing Springs, Landmark, Laurel Knob, Liberty Grove, Little Helton, Midway, Mission Home, Mount Olive, New River, North Beaver, Oak Hill, Obids, Old Fields, Orion, Phoenix, Pine Swamp, Pleasant Home, Round Knob, Sturgills, Three Forks, Trinity, Tuckerdale, Wagoner, Warrensville, Welcome Home and West Jefferson First.

A history of Fletcher Memorial Baptist Church was read by Mrs. Vivian Hartsoe.

A congregational hymn, "I Stand Amazed" was lead by Dewey Campbell and Jimmy Warden.

Baptist Children's Home report was given by Rev. Bill Marrow, who reported that our homes minister to about 1,000 children each year. He stated that only about 2 per cent are truly orphans. Others are from broken families and the average stay is 19 months. Rev. Marrow also told those present that the offering for the children's homes is being changed back to Thanksgiving beginning in 1991, but that if a church desires to do so, this can be done in November of 1990.

Baptist Hosptial report made by Tiny Ingles who has worked there for 12 years. He stated that the hospital had its beginning in 1923 and now has 5,000 employees, 800 beds, had its first single lung transplant last year, has developed new laser technology and is researching a non-narcotic pain medicine.

Fruitland Baptist Bible Institute report made by Rev. John Rymer, Vice-President of Student Affairs. He stated that Rev. Mack Roberts is now president of the college and gave a brief history of Fruitland. He also reported that the average age of students attending Fruitland is 32.

Baptist Retirement Homes report made by William B. Stillerman who expressed appreciation for our support. He stated, "We believe in quality care and with your help we are able to give that". He also reported that in February 1991 an offering will be received for our North Carolina older adults care in our homes.

Gardner-Webb College report made by representative Robert Parsons. He brought greetings from Dr. White, faculty and staff on Gardner-Webb at Boiling Springs. Mr. Parsons stated, "Our mission is to supply quality liberal arts education in a caring, christian community". He reported they expect 2200 students this fall.

Church Extension report made by Roy Holder who said, "We are anxious to help you and your church reach and win people to the Lord Jesus Christ, and our goal is to establish 200 new churches in North Carolina".

Discipleship Training report given by representative, Ms. Carole Dowell, who encouraged our churches to call her if she can be of any help. (919-322-4099).

Area Missions report made by Rev. Tom Lolley who encouraged cooperation among the churches. Rev. Lolley also provided us with special music by singing "In This Very Room".

Congregational hymn "Standing On The Promises of God", lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Moderator Jones read an article on "Declaration of Commitment and Growth in Witnessing and Giving" to be signed by the Moderator, Director of Missions and director of Stewardship committing us to winning people to Jesus Christ. A motion that this be signed by Rev. Billy Smith, seconded by James Taylor, voted on and carried.

Southern Baptist Annuity report made by Rev. Ervel Jones with a motion to adopt made by Rev. Jack Pugh, seconded by Hank Saralegui, voted on and carried.

Stewardship report presented by Rev. Charles Edwards who moved for its adoption; seconded by Rev. Jack Pugh, voted on and carried.

Pastor's Salary and Retirement report by Rev. John Leek who moved for its adoption; seconded by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Christian Action League report made by Delmas Parker who stated in his report, "The alcohol industry would destroy the church if it could; the church could destroy the alcohol industry if it would". He also reported that every 27 minutes someone is killed due to drunk driving. He moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Dewey Campbell, voted on and carried.

Evangelism report made by Rev. Jimmy Warden who moved for the adoption of his report as printed in the program; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Pastor's Conference report of Rev. Claybern Roten was moved for adoption in his absence by Bill Ballou, seconded by Billy Smith, voted on and carried.

Executive Committe report presented by Rev. David Blackburn who moved for its adoption; seconded by Jimmy Warden, voted on and carried.

The upcoming Rick Gage Crusade was reported on by Rev. Jim Rash with a motion to adopt his report made by David Blackburn, seconded by John Leek, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "I Love To Tell The Story" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

The Annual Message was delivered by our Director of Missions, Rev. Bill Ballou. He recognized Mrs. Virginia Sexton who was attending her 64th annual meeting. Rev. Ballou read from Hebrews 11 beginning with the 32nd verse. He stated, "By faith these people conquered kingdoms. We should want to be God's men or God's women for the hour". He went to say that this can happen when we decide to return to the purpose of God which purpose is to bring people to a knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ. Rev. Ballou stated, "God's word must be preached in love...humility....must rely on the power of God....have the spirit of God.....must be bold must be people who believe with all their heart." He also said preaching must be people

based, Christ centered and spirit strong, and if we put these things into action something wonderful is going to happen. Rev. Ballou stated, "I hope these things come to pass in our lives". He also expressed his appreciation to everyone for working with him over the years and closed by saying, "I pray God will bless in the years ahead".

Directions were given to the evening meal and the blessing was asked by Danny Compton of Grassy Creek.

After a wonderful meal served by the ladies of Fletcher Memorial Baptist Church, the evening session reconvened at 7:15 p.m. with the singing of "There Is A Fountain" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Moderator Jones expressed appreciation for the great meal and hospitality and called on the Rev. Chris Goodman, Pastor of Three Forks Church, to read scripture and have prayer. Rev. Goodman read from Galatians Chapter 1 and lead in prayer.

The Missions Committee report was presented by David Blackburn who expressed thanks to Larry Ballou, Gwen Elliott, Ruth Calhoun, Bernard Bare, Dewey Campbell and Claybern Roten for the enormous amount of time they have spent serving on the Missions Committee. Rev. Blackburn reported on the numerous times this committee met. He stated that the 50 applications were narrowed down to 10 and these 10 were sent a list of questions by the committee. At the next meeting this number was narrowed to three. After much prayer and at the June 5th meeting they selected one. This person was called and the committee met with him and his wife and interviewed him for three hours. At yet another meeting a vote was taken to see if this person was to be presented at the annual meeting. It had been determined by the committee at the beginning that their vote was to be unanimous for the candidate to be presented and when the vote was taken at their July 12th meeting it was six in favor and one against. The Committee recommended that we be much in prayer and that the Search Committee continue in its search for a new Director of Missions since Bill Ballou is to retire in less than six months time. Rev. Blackburn moved for the adoption of this report, seconded by Rev. Billy Smith, voted on and carried.

The Treasurer's Report was made by Jeannie McNeill who moved for the adoption of her report; seconded by David Blackburn, voted on and carried.

Proposed budget for 1990-91 was presented by Garner Blevins. This is to be voted on at Saturday's session.

Constitutional changes and additions were presented by Bill Ballou. These to be voted on at Saturday's session.

Congregational hymn "The Light of the World is Jesus" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Moderator's address by past Moderator, Rev. David Blackburn. He stated he wanted to talk to us about five faith principals. Rev. Blackburn read Joshua 6:20 and lead in prayer. He stated the following: (1) In order to increase our faith we need to operate within the realm of a specific goal...(2) Must have a vision. We need to have

a vision of what God wants from our church and our association.....(3) There is power in united faith....(4) Show God that we believe. We need to show God that we believe and act on what he says....(5) Speak the word of faith. He stated, "Tell them about your church, about your revivals. Tell everyone you see if you want your faith to grow". Rev. Blackburn concluded by saying, "It is not when you are on the mountain but when you are in the valley when your faith comes through". He lead in prayer.

Moderator Jones asked Mr. Edward Sturgill of the Sturgills Baptist Church to give the benediction.

The Saturday Session was called to order by Moderator Ervel Jones.

Congregational hymn "At The Cross" was lead by Dewey Campbell and Irene Campbell.

Moderator Jones stated what a joy it was to be meeting with Big Flatts Baptist Church in the new building God has blessed them after the fire. He then called on Rev. Charlie McCoy, host pastor, to give the welcome and devotion.

Rev. McCoy expressed appreciation to everyone for the prayers and financial support in the rebuilding process. He read scripture from Luke Chapter 10 beginning with verse 30 and lead in prayer.

REPORTS:

Sunday School report by Bernard Bare, Director. A motion to adopt this report made by Dewey Campbell; seconded by David Testerman, voted on and carried.

Discipleship Training report given by Mrs. Gwen Elliott, Director, who moved for the adoption of her report; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

WMU report by Director Mrs. Ruth Calhoun who moved for the adoption of her report; seconded by Thelma Phillips, voted on and carried.

Brotherhood report of Larry Ballou was moved for adoption as printed in the program by Bill Ballou; seconded by Blanche Oliver, voted on and carried.

Church Music report given by Music Director Dewey Campbell who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Raymond Elliott, voted on and carried.

Business Session:

A motion to adopt the Associational Budget presented at yesterday's session made by Claybern Roten; seconded by David Testerman. Jimmy Rash made a motion that the budget be amended to increase the youth allotment from $500.00 to $1,000.00. This amended motion was seconded by Jack Pugh and after discussion, was voted on and carried. The budget was then voted on and carried.

A motion to approve the election of Organizational Leaders and Associational Committee as printed in the program made by Eddie Duncan; seconded by Irene Barker of Oak Hill Church, voted on and carried.

Motion to amend Article I, Section 3 of the Constitution as presented at yesterday's session made by Jack Pugh; seconded by Charlie McCoy, voted on and carried.

Motion to amend Article V, Section 10 of the Constitution as presented at Friday's session made by David Testerman, seconded by John Leek. After discussion Jack Pugh made a motion to amend the proposed amendment for some new wording, seconded by Joe Eastridge, voted on and carried.

Motion to adopt Article V, Section 15 presented at yesterday's session by Claybern Roten; seconded by Joe Eastridge, voted on and carried.

Motion to accept Article V, Section 16 (job description) by Dean Watson; seconded by Jimmy Warden, voted on and carried.

Motion to adopt Article V, Section 17 by David Testerman, seconded by Mrs. Stewart, voted on and carried.

A motion to extend the business session for five minutes was made by Bill Ballou; seconded by Al Thacker, voted on and carried.

Motion to approve Article V, Section 18 made by Ed Reed of Warrensville Church; seconded by Eddie Duncan of Buffalo Church, after discussion by Jack Miller, voted on and carried.

Motion to accept Article V, Section 19 by David Testerman; seconded by Ray Ham, voted on and carried.

Roll call of the churches was conducted by Jeannie McNeill with the following 41 churches being represented at today's session: Bald Mountain, Beaver Creek, Bethel, Big Flatts, Big Laurel, Bristol, Buffalo, Calvary, Clifton, Fletcher Memorial, Friendly Grove, Friendship, Glendale Springs, Grassy Creek, Healing Springs, Landmark, Laurel Knob, Liberty Grove, Little Helton, Midway, Mission Home, Mount Olive, New River, North Beaver, Oak Hill, Obids, Old Fields, Orion, Phoenix, Pilot Mountain, Pine Swamp, Pleasant Home, Round Knob, Sturgills, Three Forks, Trinity, Tuckerdale, Wagoner, Warrensville, Welcome Home and West Jefferson First.

A History of Big Flatts Church was presented by Anita B. Elliott. A motion to accept this as presented by David Testerman; seconded by Roger Sheets, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "Nothing Between" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Rev. Jimmy Warden discussed the Rick Gage Crusade coming up in September and encouraged all ages to plan to attend and be a part of this crusade.

The Baptist Children's Homes report of Joann Goodman was moved for approval, in her absence, by Bill Ballou; seconded by Jimmy Rash, voted on and carried.

Baptist Retirement Homes report made by Rev. John Goodman with a motion to accept by Billy Smith, duly seconded, voted on and carried.

Baptist Hospital report of Jerry Burleson was moved for acceptance, in his absence, by Bill Ballou; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Biblical Recorder report of Linda Eller, who was not present, moved for adoption by Bill Ballou; seconded by Mrs. Gwen Elliott and after discussion by Bill Ballou, voted on and carried.

Christian Literature has no report.

Christian Education report of Stewart Scott, who was absent, was moved for adoption by Charles Edwards; seconded by Dewey Campbell, voted on and carried.

Baptist Foundation report made by Norman Roten who moved for the adoption of his report; seconded by Charles Edwards, voted on and carried.

American Bible Society report given by Gary Watson who also moved for its adoption; seconded by Jack Pugh, and after discussion by Charles Edwards, voted on and carried.

Mars Hill College report made by Miss Sue Fitzgerald. She discussed some of the resource books and material available from her office on the Mars Hill Campus.

Director of Missions report made by Bill Ballou who also moved for its adoption; seconded by David Blackburn, and after discussion by Bill Ballou, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymns "I Will Sing The Wondrous Story" and "Oh, How I Love Jesus" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

During Miscellaneous Business Session Charles Edwards made a motion that the moderator appoint a committee to begin planning an appropriate day to observe Bill Ballou's retirement; seconded by Hank Saraleagui, voted on and carried.

Rev. David Testerman asked questions concerning Wake Forest University's standing and there was additional discussion by Sue Fitzgerald, Ervel Jones, and Claybern Roten. Rev. Pugh made a motion that a Wake Forest representative not be invited to our annual meetings; seconded by Rev. Lloyd Day, voted on and carried.

Special Music was provided by Chris Hartley and Rick Faw from Orion Baptist Church.

The Message was delivered by Rev. John Leek, Pastor of Orion Baptist Church. Rev. Leek read First John Chapter 1 beginning with verse 3 and stated, "If we say we have fellowship with Him, our joy is full and our life is changed....We do not walk in darkness. We walk in the light of Jesus." He told those present, "In religion there is nothing, in Christ there is everything."

Rev. Leek then stated that there is a man in our midst who God has called and who has been faithful, has given all of himself so each of us might better serve the Lord who gave himself for us. He then asked our soon to retire Director of Missions, Rev. Bill Ballou, and all of his family who might be present to come to the front of the church. Rev. Leek expressed appreciation to Rev. Ballou and his family for their

sharing and giving to all of us. He then opened the floor to anyone present who would like to say a few words. Various and numerous ones stood and expressed love and appreciation to Brother Bill and all of the family.

Thomas Elliott of Big Flatts gave the benediction and blessing.

Adjourn for lunch.

After a delicious meal served by the ladies of Big Flatts Church the afternoon session reconvened at 1:15 p.m. with the singing of "At Calvary" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Moderator Jones called on Rev. Larry Powers, Pastor of Clifton Baptist Church, to lead in devotion (he read Romans 8:35-39 and Phillipians 1:10) and prayer.

REPORTS:

Foreign Missions report of Diane Ballou moved for adoption by Bill Ballou, seconded by David Testerman, voted on and carried.

Home Missions report of Lois Jones moved for adoption by Bill Ballou; seconded by Hank Saraleagui, voted on and carried.

State Missions report made by Rev. Wayne Jones who moved for its adoption; seconded by Jack Pugh and after discussion by Joe Eastridge, voted on and carried.

VBS report presented by Bill Ballou who moved for its adoption; seconded by Clifford Caudill, voted on and carried.

School of Christian Studies (Seminary Extension) report by Rev. Jack Miller who moved for its adoption; seconded by Claybern Roten, voted on and carried.

Ashe Baptist Camp report given by Rev. David Testerman who moved for the adoption of this report; seconded by Rev. Larry Powers, voted on and carried.

Moderator Jones announced the appointment of the following members to the Director of Missions Retirement Day Committee: Rev. Jack Miller, Chairman, Dewey Campbell, Jeannie McNeill, Linda Blackburn and Ruth Calhoun.

The vote having been overlooked at the time Article V, Section 10 of the Constitution was presented, afer discussion by Jack Pugh, Charles Edwards and Ervel Jones, it was voted on and carried.

Rev. John Leek, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented the name of Rev. Jimmy Warden to serve on the Search Committee. Rev. Lloyd Day nominated Rev. Billy Joe Blevins. A motion to elect was made by Rev. David Testerman, seconded by Rev. Claybern Roten, voted on and carried.

Congregational hymn "Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus" lead by Dewey and Irene Campbell.

Afternoon message was delivered by Rev. Charles Edwards, Pastor of Friendly Grove Baptist Church. He first asked Dewey Campbell to sing "The Love of God".

Rev. Edwards then read from the 85th Psalms and stated, "Peace is the most needed condition of the world today, but peace is the most elusive". He continued, "God created a place of perfect peace with

everything a man would ever need. Man has created the turmoil we are in today". He told those present that man is the climax of God's creation and that, "A child of God can sit in the middle of a storm knowing nothing can separate him from the peace of God". Rev. Edwards said, "God created man in the image of God and when man can grasp that fact he will realize the importance of his identity and place in God's plan". Rev. Edwards concluded by saying, "The world's greatest need is not only a revival that will send a church to its knees but will send a church into the world. The church, after it comes to its knees, should go into the world to win the world to Christ".

Business Session:

Time, Place and Preacher report made by Jimmy Warden who reported that no one had asked to host next year's meeting yet but that the preacher for the Friday afternoon session was to be Rev. Lloyd Day. (Before these minutes went to press Friendly Grove Baptist Church had asked to host on Friday, August 16th, and Grassy Creek Baptist Church asked to host on Saturday, the 17th.)

Resolutions Committee report by Rev. Dean Watson who moved for its adoption; seconded by Rev. Charles Edwards, voted on and carried.

Bill Ballou made a motion that the 1990 annual be dedicated to Mr. George West who served for 17 years as Moderator of our Association, and to Rev. Herbert Caldwell a former pastor for many years in our Association; seconded by Eddie Duncan, voted on and carried.

Bill Ballou made a motion that we dispense with the reading of the minutes and approve them as written and that the prayer with the Memorial Service serve as the benediction; seconded by Dewey Campbell, voted on and carried.

Jimmy Rash called attention to the fact that the Association needed to elect a committee to study the feasibility of a Teen Center. Bill Ballou made a motion that Youth Council be this committee; seconded by Charles Edwards, voted on and carried.

Memorial Service conducted by Rev. Claybern Roten, Pastor of Wagoner Baptist Church, who closed with prayer.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Executive Committee is glad to report that the association is in good shape in all areas. The committee met for all its scheduled meetings and acted on all business brought to its attention.

I would like to thank all committee members, all pastors, Rev. Bill Ballou and all host churches for your support this past year.

We must continue in the coming year to fight against Satan, his followers and his evil. He is in our midst, but I'm thankful that "greater is He that is in Christians that he that is in the world." "Together" we do a better job than separated, therefore may we strive to come together, closer than ever before, thru the "tie that binds", the Holy Spirit, in order to do Christ's bidding in the coming year.

Respectfully Submitted,
David Blackburn, Moderator

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

"Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost; Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." (Matthew 28:19-20).

This has been the part of God's Holy Word has long been acknowledged by Southern Baptists as the mandate to the church. We preach it, we teach it, but too often we fail to live it.

The uniqueness of the Southern Baptist Convention is the approach we have taken to the missions enterprise. It was the adopting of the "Cooperative Program" in 1925 that identified our denomination as a people of God who would attempt to fulfill the "Great Commission" as the above passage is often referrd to.

If today's churches of the Southern Baptist Convention are to fulfill it's part of this mandate, then those churches who have elected to not be a participating church in the cooperative program must have a change of heart and direction.

The churches of the Ashe Baptist Association have an opportunity to be part of this great ministry of outreach as they cooperate with other churches such as ours. I pray that each church will give much consideration to this opportunity of reaching the world for Christ through the "Cooperative Program" of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Sincerely Submitted By,
Charles A. Edwards

THE BIBLICAL RECORDER
Associational Report - 1990

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Never has God given Baptists a greater opportunity; never have there been as many difficulties and obstacles to overcome. One sure way to conquer problems and overcome the barriers to effective witness and ministry is to have the facts, know the issues and be adequately informed.

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Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. Linda Eller

1990 REPORT OF BAPTIST CHILDREN'S HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.
Michael C. Blackwell, president

For 105 years Baptist Children's Homes of North Carolina has been giving children a chance at life. This year we formalized that phrase into our first state-wide fund-raising campaign.

The "Give a child a chance!" Campaign seeks to raise $11 million over three years to expand Cameron Boys Camp, boost general operating income and increase endowment.

We will also be able to begin a before and after school care program in Davidson County, to give security to children of working couples, who won't have to go home to empty houses anymore.

Some of the new endowment earnings will increase training to help staff deal with ever changing needs among the 1,000 children and families they serve each year.

Baptist Men of North Carolina have agreed to build the new Tommy and Jeanie Eller Chuckwagon at Cameron, saving approximately $75,000 in construction costs.

Children's hopes also were bolstered by the return of the Thanksgiving Offering voted by messengers to the 1989 state convention. While suffering through its 12-year absence, BCH lost more than $1 million in revenue.

In the change from a Homes and Hospital Offering to the Thanksgiving Offering, BCH will go 18 months without a special collection, a period that encompasses more than an entire fiscal year. For the past five years that special collection has meant $400,000 to the ministry, a sum that will be difficult to make up in the 1990-91 budget. Some churches, aware of the difficulty, have promised to begin receiving the Thanksgiving Offering in 1990.

The Cooperative Program continues to anchor our budget planning from the churches. We urge renewed commitment to cooperative giving among our North Carolina churches. It is essential, not only for us, but for the entire missions enterprise built painstakingly for a century and a half. Baptist Children's Homes receives $1.5 million from Cooperative Program receipts each year. That is the stackpole around which we build our other income planning. A decrease in Cooperative Program dollars to Baptist Children's Homes would seriously jeopardize our ability to care for children.

In August, BCH signed an agreement with Gaston County Department of Social Services to operate two emergency care homes owned by the county. That raise to 11 the number of emergency care homes BCH operates. That service, in which a child at risk of abuse or neglect can receive shelter right away, is the service most in demand throughout the state. Children stay a maximum of 60 days while BCH works with the custodian to determine a long-term plan of care.

In 1991 BCH will celebrate the 20th anniversary of the founding of Broyhill Home, our westernmost campus, in Waynesville/Clyde. With the help of J.E. Broyhill and his family, the home was opened in 1971 on 91 hilly acres. It has capacity for 48 children in group care and for eight girls in emergency care.

Baptist Children's Homes has a 105-year history. But its history is just the knot that ties it to a boundless, unbroken ribbon of promise that stretches beyond the future to wrap children and families with eternal blessings.

Respectfully Submitted,
Mrs. JoAnn Goodman

BAPTIST RETIREMENT HOMES
OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

1990: Providing the Best of Times to N.C. Older Adults

Making life for Older Adults the Best of Times is the continuing goal of Baptist Retirement Homes of North Carolina Inc., which operates four residential facilities for Older Adults around the state - in Albemarle, Asheville, Hamilton and Winston-Salem.

In Winston-Salem, Brookridge Retirement Community celebrates its first birthday in 1990. It is the largest of the facilities, providing five levels of care - independent living in garden homes, independent living in apartments, and assisted living, intermediate nursing care and skilled nursing care in its health-care unit - to 350 Older Adults. The residents have developed a strong community spirit.

Around the state, other homes face a promising year.

The Board oF Trustees of Baptist Retirement Homes applied in July for permission to construct the 60 nursing care beds the state is allocating to Buncombe County in 1990.

State approval of its plans will be the next step toward adding a 60-bed health-care unit to the Western North Carolina Baptist Home in Asheville, a unit offering skilled and intermediate nursing care.

Currently the only nursing care provided by Baptist Retirement Homes is the 85-bed nursing-care unit at Brookridge. The Western part of our state has one of the fastest-growing populations of Older Adults.

The facilities in Albemarle and Hamilton provide assisted living in a residential setting to 30 Older Adults each. Both programs are greatly enhanced by the strong support of the surrounding community and its churches. The Brotherhood, WMU and senior adult clubs at many nearby churches provide fellowship, entertainment, skills and physical labor, household needs - whatever they see are needed by each home.

The Albemarle Baptist Home also offers respite care for those families who care for an Older Adult and need some time away from

that responsibility. The cost of the care is paid by the family, and it provides overnight care for whatever length of time the family needs. It, and other alternative forms of residential care for Older Adults, are additional ways being explored by the Homes to meet the growing needs of the Older Adult Baptist population in this state.

Please pray for our ministry.

Submitted By:
John F. Goodman

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST COLLEGE REPORT - 1990

CAMPBELL	CHOWAN	GARDNER-WEBB	MARS HILL
1887	1848	1905	1856

MEREDITH	WAKE FOREST	WINGATE
1891	1834	1895

THE TRIPOD

Dr. S.L. Stealey, the late founding president of Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, once said, "The Tripod upon which Baptists have based more than one hundred years of progress has been MISSIONS, EVANGELISM, and EDUCATION. To shorten one leg of this tripod is to endanger the whole." This is a statement all Baptists should ponder.

North Carolina Baptist colleges are guided, as are the churches and the Convention, by historic Baptist principles:

1.THE AUTHORITY OF THE SCRIPTURES AND THE LORDSHIP OF CHRIST. Because we regard the Bible as sufficient authority, to be interpreted by the individual under the guidance of the Spirit of God, we do not need authoritative creeds or ecclesiastical organizations as a substitute for the authority of the Bible.

2.THE COMPETENCE OF THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE PRIESTHOOD OF BELIEVERS. Each individual has the right to approach God directly, and every individual is competent to deal directly with God in all matters pertaining to salvation and the Christian life.

3.THE AUTONOMY OF THE LOCAL CHURCH AND COOPERATION IN CHRISTIAN SERVICE. Each church is congregational in organization, with every member having the right to vote. Cooperation, not coercion, is the basis of denominational unity.

4.FREEDOM OF RELIGION AND A FREE CHURCH IN A FREE STATE. Religious liberty rather than religious toleration is a North Carolina Baptist distinctive.

The enduring ties and relationships between Baptist colleges, Baptist churches and the Baptist State Convention help to guarantee the tripod's balance and a healthy spirit of partnership in the Gospel.

Respectfully Submitted,
Stewart Scott

DIRECTOR OF MISSIONS REPORT

June 30, 1990 brought to a close another year in the Ashe Baptist Association. Thank you for allowing me the freedom to go in and out among you and try to minister to some of your needs.

During the year I have attended almost all the Preacher's Conferences, Executive Committee meetings. Through the Ashe County Ministerial Association I have been involved in during the past year are as follows: VBS Regional Clinic, Associational VBS Clinic, Key Leadership at Ridgecrest, 24 Hours At Ridgecrest, Big Flatts Dedication, C.T. "M" Night, Sunday School Training Conference, Sunday School Assist Training at Ridgecrest.

I have assisted in 3 Deacon Ordinations, 4 Communion Services, 5 Revivals, 5 Weddings and 62 Funeral Services. Meetings and conferences that have taken me out of the county are as follows: Baptist Convention in Greensboro, Evangelism Conference also in Greensboro, The Southern Baptist Convention in New Orleans, DOM Update Seminar, Nashville, DOM Orientation, Atlanta, World Missions Conference, Taylorsville, NC. There were numerous other responsibilities and duties that claimed my attention during the year that cannot be reported statistically. I do hope that I have been of some help to those who called upon me.

This year has proved to be a busy and productive year in the Ashe Baptist Associatioin. This was the year of the "Here's Hope Revivals" and I am most thankful for the wonderful results that were experienced. "Witness" was here again this year and we thank God for every precious soul that invited Jesus into their heart. We are looking forward prayerfully to the "Rick Gage Crusade" coming September 16, 17, 18, 19 at the Beaver Creek Gymnasium.

I'd like to express my appreciation to the fine pastors who serve our churches. Most of these men are bi-vocational. I am amazed at what they accomplish on their church fields after 8 hours on the job. Let me also thank those of you who serve on the various committees.

Thank you for allowing me to be a part of the MASTER'S work here in the association. May God bless you all.

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou, D.O.M.

REPORT OF AREA MISSIONS

This church year has really rushed by. We have faced many new challenges in the mountains of Western North Carolina. There was a time, not too long ago, when one out of every four people in the hills claimed to be Baptist. These figures are rapidly changing. New churches are springing up all around us. The new people in the hills have brought their religious expressions with them.

The growth of the cults and the increasing number of people with no religious background are presenting us with opportunity and challenge. The number of plateaued or declining churches also call for our best efforts in turning a trend around. My prayer is that in the 1990-1991 church year we will see a new day in our sensitivity of reaching people around us with the good news of Jesus the Christ. I want to help!

Have you ever used "A thing-a-me-dodger"? Consider the following conversation:

"Say, I brough "a thing-a-me-dodger." "Does it work?" "Don't know.....I can't figure out what it's for yet!"....."Did you need it?"...."How do I know? If I don't know what it does, how do I know if I need one?"

Does that conversation sound a little far off to you? I am afraid that is the way some view the work of the Baptist State Convention and the work of the Area Missionary. You see,....."a-thing-a-me-dodger" is not good for much unless we use it for our needs.

I am really proud when you call me YOUR Area Missionary. That is sincerely what I want to be. Please call on me when I can assist you in the association, the local church, or individually. My number is 704-724-9476.

Tom Lolley
Area Missionary, Western North Carolina
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BAPTIST HOSPITAL
Report to Associations
1990

"The largest health-science building program ever in North Carolina has changed the landscape on Hawthorne Hill, and the changes continue in rapid succession....One thing that hasn't changed is the institution's tradition for delivery of compassionate health care. That will never change." This statement, from Dr. Charles P. Nicholson, Jr., Baptist Hospital Trustee and Chairman of the Medical Center Board of Directors, is both a report and a commitment.

Another building in this $190 million expansion program has recently been completed and occupied. The Clinical Sciences Building will house most of the Medical Center's ambulatory services, and has been termed a "medical supermarket," where patients may do "one-stop shopping." The building will also accommodate an Ambulatory Surgery Unit, Medical Center Administrative Offices, and other functions. Nearing completion, is the Day Care Center for children of medical center employees. Under construction, is an addition to the MRI (Magnetic Resonance Imaging) Building, and a significant addition to the Patient/Visitor Parking Deck. Construction on the Center on Aging Building is scheduled to begin in early 1991 with the completion date set for the spring of 1993.

The purpose of all these new facilities, according to hospital president, Len B. Preslar, Jr., is to "enable us to respond to patient needs better than ever before." In addition to continuation and improvement of many established procedures, several new diagnostic and treatment programs have been started recently. The Organ Transplant Program added a new dimension when it performed the first single-lung transplant in North Carolina. Bone marrow transplants are also being performed now in our Baptist Hospital. A Cranio-facial Clinic, to correct major deformities of the skull and upper face during the first year of life, opened recently. New laser technology provides an improved method for clearing out atherosclerotic deposits in the carotid arteries of the neck. New surgical techniques make possible better treatment of complicated retainal detachment. Orthopedic Surgeons began use of the Ilizarov Technique for the repair and lengthening of broken bones. New approaches are being used effectively in the treatment of children with Cerebral Palsy. Bowman Gray/Baptist Hospital is the only medical center in the nation using and evaluating Clindean, a non-narcotic pain killer which has proven effective in controlling pain following surgery and for cancer patients.

Through these various services we provided 210,456 days of care for 22,607 patient admissions last year. In addition to these, there were approximately 388,000 ambulatory patient visits in the various clinics, the Emergency Department, the Day Hospital, and in Ambulatory Surgery. These patients came from all across North Carolina and from thirty-four other states. Also the number of patients being referred to us from foreign countries is increasing as the reputation of the Medical Center spreads throughout the world.

The Department of Pastoral Care continues to strengthen its reputation both as a service agency and as a teaching facility. Last year, the department provided more than 29,000 ministries to hospital patients, almost 19,000 services to families, and more than 14,000 services for hospital and church staff members and their families. The Minister's Care Plan, a joint program with the Baptist State Convention, had 1,446 sessions with more than 200 different clergy families last year. The new Missionary Counseling and Support

Services Program saw 48 individuals in its first six months. The Division of Clinical Pastoral Education/Chaplaincy had 53 students enrolled.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1990, the hospital received $692,946.24 through the Cooperative Program and $271,361.24 through the Homes and Hospital Offering and direct gifts. Cooperative Program Funds are used for the Department of Pastoral Care, and other church gifts help to provide Benevolent Care for financially needy patients. The hospital staff and patients are most grateful for this continuing financial support.

Respectfully submitted,
Jerry Burleson
Local Representative

1990 ANNUAL REPORT
CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE
OF NORTH CAROLINA, INC.

The last 12 months have been eventful ones in the ministry of applied Christianity.

LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

1. GAMBLING

As this report is being prepared the battle is still on concerning a state-wide lottery. The gambling industry is well-staffed with its personnel and lobbyists who relentlessly pursue their interests among the members of the General Assembly. Legislators are constantly barraged by one of them to "let the people vote" to put the state into the gambling business.

2. DRUNK DRIVING

Proposals from Governor Jim Martin and even a Legislative Study Committee that would really toughen our drunk driving laws to be tied up in a House-Senate Conference Committee. Some well-known Senate defense attorneys are determined to keep anything of real substance from passing.

The pending legislative calls for:

a. The lowering of the breathalyzer blood alcohol level from .10 to .08;

b. The banning of open containers of all alcoholic beverages in motor vehicles;

c. Increasing the civil revocation of drivers' licenses from 10 to 30 days; (North Carolina is the only state in the nation with less than a 3--day loss of driving privileges for registering a .10 or above on the breathalyzer.)

d. Increasing the fines for being convicted of drunk driving; (In 1947 the minimum fine was $100, and it is still the same 43 years later.)

3. ABORTION

a. Because of the outstanding work of Representative "Skip" Stam of Wake County, the House voted to reduce the state's abortion fund from $400,00 to $100,000. These remaining funds could not be used for abortion as a means of birth control. They could only be utilized for abortion when the mother's life is endangered, or in cases that result from rape or incest. However, the Senate voted to leave the funding at its current rate, so the measure is now tied up in a conference committee.

b. A parental consent proposal overwhelmingly passed the House requiring a parent's approval before an abortion could be performed on a minor. (Such consent is required before a school official can give an aspirin to a student, but such consent is not required for a minor to receive an abortion.) But it appears that the Senate will not approve this measure.

4. MISCELLANEOUS

Other legislative proposals such as raising the tax on alcoholic beverages, requiring the teaching in public schools of sexual abstineance outside of marriage to combat the teenage pregnancy problem, and making the possession of child pornography a felony were considered but were side-tracked by the Senate. Incidentally, the tax on beer has not been increased in North Carolina since 1969. This reveals how strong the beer lobbyists are.

CHURCH AND COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE

In the past year, the League has successfully assisted in alcoholic beverage campaigns in places such as Hertford County, Pamlico County, Concord, Lumberton, Manteo, Randleman, Waynesville, etc. in their efforts to defeat various referenda such as liquor-by-the-drink and beer-wine sales.

We have sough to keep the Christian community informed on moral and ethical issues through our publication TOMORROW, and through speaking in churches, pastor's conferences, and civic clubs.

Thank you for your prayer and financial support in our ministry of applied Christianity.

Coy C. Privette
Executive Director

Joe S. Lennon
President

NORTH CAROLINA BAPTIST FOUNDATION REPORT TO BAPTIST ASSOCIATIONS OF NORTH CAROLINA

The historical records of the North Carolina Baptist Foundation will reveal 1989 and 1990 to be significant in its 70 year history. Organized following action taken at the 1919 Convention and chartered by the State of North Carolina in 1920 as a charitable corporation, the Trustee agency of the Convention has only in recent years begun to have an impact in providing financial support for Baptist institutions and mission causes.

Charged with the responsibility of creating greater awareness among Baptists within North Carolina concerning estate stewardship as a viable and significant means of providing financial support of Christian endeavors fostered by our churches, the Baptist Foundation assists individuals in the establishment of endowment and trust funds. Through these funds, financial support is provided the donor's chosen Christian cause or causes on a continuing basis for years to come, long after the donor's death.

The growth of the Foundation, in terms of assets managed, has been significant during the past few years. Since January 1, 1988, the assets placed under management of the Foundation has increased by over $13 million through May, 1990. This exceeds the asset growth goals set in 1986 for a five year period.

Trust income distributed to Baptist institutions and mission causes 1988 and 1989 **$1,106,930**

Trust income distributed to individuals with Baptist causes named as charitable remainderman during 1988 and 1989 **$1,361,836**

Assets held in trust and endowment funds as of June 1, 1990 (unaudited) **$26,176,481**

Assets held in trust and endowment funds as of December 31, 1989 (audited) **$18,133,634**

Gifts of appreciated assets, such as stock and real estate, can be placed in trust to generate income for individuals and then pay income to Christian causes beyond their lifetime. As a result of this unique opportunity to give, older adults are realizing the joy of establishing life income trusts. This plan often provides a significant increase in personal income, by-pass of capital gain taxes, creation of a charitable deduction for income tax and estate taxes, and assures an eventual gift to Christian endeavors.

A new home for the Baptist Foundation was built during 1989 and early 1990. The 6,000 square foot office building was constructed from gifts from individuals and is located on property provided by the Baptist State Convention next to the Baptist Building in Cary. The new facility was occupied in February 1990, and provides much needed

space for the work of staff as well as for conferences and meetings. Baptist groups are invited to use the meeting rooms when in the Raleigh/Cary area. We extend an invitation to church groups to call and arrange a visit to the newest building used for the Lord's service by North Carolina Baptists.

The Foundation employs seven full time employees and operates under the direction of a 20 member Board of Directors elected by the Baptist State Convention.

Respectfully Submitted,
Edwin S. Coates
Executive Director

Local Representative,
Norman Roten

AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY

What do the churches of America see when they look at the American Bible Society? For those of us responsible for communicating the ABS story, we would like them to see us as an important partner of the churches to make a greater witness for Christ - a partner on the frontier of world missions and evangelism, and a partner at the local level of day-to-day community outreach and service.

This is the way we see you, the churches. You are our partners, indispensable co-workers with us in the Bible cause! Our global program of scripture translation, production and distribution is inheretly dependent upon the prayerful support, the generous gifts, the wise counsel and advice given by demoninations and their local congregations. The undergirding is the primary enabler for the society to develop exciting, relevant and powerful Scripture resources for Christians in our country and for all those around the globe we seek to reach with God's Word.

ABS partners have many profiles. The Society is privileged to enjoy broad support among Christians in America. Many are ABS Volunteers and Church Representatives, Bible-A-Month-Club members and Good News For New Readers supporters. In fact, 90% of the denominations listed in the YEARBOOK OF AMERICAN AND CANADIAN CHURCHES, 1989 are represented among those who are active in the ABS Ministry. People sharing the Bible with other people is a ministry to which all Christians are called and one ABS is eager to help churches in fulfilling.

Representatives from 37 denominations and 6 church agencies attended the Society's 60th National Advisory Council at Bible House in December last year which met under the banner "Partners In Spreading The Good News." Because we believe there is no better

way of presenting the Bible cause, we have made this theme the central prospective of our report to you this year. We hope what you read here will underscore just how grateful we are to your denomination for being our partner, will reinforce why your continuing and expanding partnership with us is so vital, and will strengthen your confidence and participation in the work of the AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY which you are so generously supporting.

Bryant M. Kirkland
Chief Executive Officer

Respectfully Submitted,
Local Representative,
Charlie McCoy

THE CHRISTIAN ACTION LEAGUE

The Christian Action League is a voluntary organization composed of Christians and concerned citizens brought together to oppose those destructive influences in society which contribute to the low level of public morality existing today. The League is dedicated to strengthening laws against gambling, alcohol, drugs, and commercialized vice in its many forms while emphasizing the basis importance of spiritual and moral values to the development and growth of the individual, the local community and the nation as a whole.

Beverage alcohol is today the primary agent in the destruction of homes and family life. The alcohol industry promotes juvenile delinquent vice, crime, and is a leading cause of child abuse and highway accidents. Statistics indicate that 400,000 deaths yearly are directly related to the consumption of alcohol. Medical and legal experts describe alcohol as as "gateway drug" which leads to the abuse of more deadly and lethal drugs such as cocaine. The abuse of drugs among the twelve to twenty-year old age group is now reaching epidemic proportions. The leading cause of death among adolescents is alcohol related accidents. Alcohol related injuries are exacting a heavy financial burden on the American taxpayer while the cost in human terms is incalcuable. For all these reasons, the League strongly opposes all efforts to legalize the sale of alcohol beverages in Ashe County.

The Christian Action League of Ashe County is concerned with the growing support for government sponsored gambling in North Carolina. The League urges Christians to oppose a state lottery and pari-mutual gambling in our state because it is destructive of families and opens the door for organized crime and vice to come to our state.

The Christian Action League of Ashe County in association with the North Carolina League urges individuals and churches in our county

to inform public officials of our opposition to the sale of beverage alcohol and liquors in North Carolina and to voice our concern with efforts to legalize pari-mutual gambling in our state. Additional goals and objectives for 1990-91 include the following:

1. Inclusion of warning label on all alcoholic beverages.
2. Elimination of alcoholic advertisements in the media.
3. Prohibit the local sale of beer and wine through a referendum.
4. Elimination of pornographic elements in the media.
5. Lobby against state sponsored gambling.
6. To maintain Christian values in our community.

To attain these goals, we need the active cooperation of all those individuals who wish to promote Christian values and morals in our community.

We invite all like-minded citizens to join us in furthering the course of civic and social righteousness and promoting the highest standards of Christian morality in the lives of our people.

Respectfully Submitted,
Delmas Parker

FOREIGN MISSIONS
A Decade of Surprises

In a recent issue of the Foreign Mission Board's magazine, THE COMMISSION, R. Keith Parks, president of the board, described the 1980's as "a decade of surprises." That should come as no surprise considering the events of just this past year.

A wall, long held to be the symbol of oppression, came tumbling down. Freedoms sprouted where once there were totalitarian regimes. In many areas, religious intolerance, though far from extinct, was replaced by an openness to the gospel.

Foreign missions has changed over the past decade too and we, as Southern Baptists, are ready to take advantage of these new opportunities. Here's a brief overview.

* The Foreign Mission Board began to explore new approaches for reaching into areas where traditional missionaries were not allowed. Non residential missionaries, itinerant missionaries and tent-makers are categories of service which help fill the void. Cooperative Services International is a non-profit, humanitarian agency created by Southern Baptists to reach into areas with no missionary presence. It helps match needs and service opportunities in those countries with Southern Baptists who can respond.

* The Foreign Mission Board initiated a greater level of cooperation between Great Commission Christian groups which benefited the cause of world missions by combining strategies.
* China reopened her doors to Christian presence during the decade. Many of you took advantage of teaching and business opportunities in China, sharing your testimonies through a lifestyle witness.
* You expressed compassion for the victims of famine and natural disaster by providing more than $74.3 million in relief funds during the decade. Efforts also included relief training for missionaries and local leaders.
* Taking advantage of our talents and skills, the board placed a greater emphasis on volunteers and partnership evangelism. More than 10,000 of you volunteered overseas during 1988 and again in 1989, surpassing the Bold Mission Thrust volunteer goal more than a decade in advance.
* Demographics of our convention continued to broaden. There are more than 300,000 black Southern Baptists in our country, and we already worship in more than 88 languages. Realizing the unique contribution these groups could make overseas, the Foreign Missions Board added consultants for ethnic and black church relations.

Our reponse to this "decade of surprises" has been challenging. Many of you experiences these challenges firsthand overseas. Some of you sacrifically proved financial support, and others prayed for opportunities and results. Whatever your part - praying, giving or going - you had impact on the foreign missions effort of the past year.....and decade. We must continue to work together in the final decade of Bold Mission Thrust.

A look at 1989 reveals two different pictures. The first picture is one of highlights. A record high of 227,564 baptisms was reached - an average of nearly one baptism every two minutes. This record reflects one baptism for every 10.7 church members overseas as compared to one baptism for every 40 Southern Baptist church members in the United States. In other highlights, the membership of overseas Baptist churches increased 16.4 percent, climbing to 2.4 million.

Overseas Baptists added three and a half times as many new members as Southern Baptist churches in the United States. The growth rates for both baptisms and new church members exceeded the Bold Mission Thrust 1989 goals needed to stay on track. The Bold Mission Thrust total volunteer goal already has been met (for the second year).

The second picture is one of concern. A 12.13 percent growth rate was needed to meet the goal for total churches, while the increase was only 10.6 percent. And the net loss in the number of missionaries for the first time in 17 years is cause for significant concern.

Certainly, the Bold Mission Thrust projections are still attainable. But it is evident that reaching these goals by the year 2000 will require a renewed commitment on the part of all Southern Baptists.

Respectfully Submitted,
Diane Ballou

Respectfully Submitted,
Lois Jones

COOPERATIVE PROGRAM RECEIPTS & SPECIAL OFFERINGS

JAN. 1 THROUGH JUNE 10, 1990

ASHE

APPLE GROVE	.00	20.00	20.00	.00	60.00
BALD MOUNTAIN	531.61	1,021.54	1.083.40	435.35	872.98
BAPTIST HOME	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
BEAVER CREEK	.00	.00	.00	.00	123.00
BETHEL	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
BIG FLATTS	.00	.00	70.00	300.30	1,106.30
BIG LAUREL	.00	150.00	.00	25.00	50.00
BLUE RIDGE	.00	.00	.00	100.00	300.00
BRISTOL	462.35	824.27	679.13	.00	.00
BUFFALO	.00	.00	.00	400.00	950.00
CALVARY	.00	.00	.00	.00	288.00
CLIFTON	170.48	312.89	185.40	250.00	250.00
FARMER MEMORIAL	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	2,730.18	5,385.11	4,639.33	3,736.90	8,082.72
FRIENDLY GROVE	660.00	1,320.00	1,353.50	3,562.15	7,170.95
FRIENDSHIP	1,076.38	1,671.94	1,776.03	2,235.17	2,576.07
GLENDALE SPRINGS	.00	.00	.00	100.00	100.00
GRASSY CREEK	305.32	495.86	573.00	200.00	200.00
HEALING SPRINGS	322.66	672.01	607.10	582.53	992.13
LANDMARK	500.00	750.00	750.00	600.00	1,650.00
LAUREL KNOB	141.21	141.21	222.02	442.28	442.28
LIBERTY GROVE	.00	400.00	500.00	810.00	810.00
LITTLE HELTON	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
MIDWAY	1,824.12	1,824.12	3,309.93	1,182.00	4,325.09
MISSION HOME	480.35	664.53	798.57	520.00	1,175.00
MOUNT OLIVE	.00	.00	247.41	.00	90.00
NEW RIVER	718.13	1,150.22	1,388.51	315.00	1,160.62
NORTH BEAVER	116.00	238.00	322.00	150.00	415.96
OAK HILL	.00	.00	.00	189.92	370.46
OBIDS	.00	.00	35.00	200.00	200.00
OLD FIELDS	1,000.00	1,500.00	900.00	1,267.50	1,267.50
ORION	574.03	1,182.54	1,143.01	787.54	787.54
PEAK VALLEY	100.00	100.00	100.00	.00	50.00
PHOENIX	305.50	530.50	450.00	387.00	1,314.41
PILOT MOUNTAIN	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
PINE SWAMP	.00	100.00	100.00	.00	.00
PLEASANT HOME	283.75	511.45	311.55	403.00	448.54
PLEASANT VALLEY	.00	.00	.00	.00	
PROSPERITY	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
ROUND KNOB	112.74	216.50	157.29	.00	.00
SABBATH HOME	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
STURGILLS	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
THREE FORKS	.00	.00	.00	.00	100.00
TRINITY	1,635.05	2,635.07	2,946.94	653.55	653.75

TUCKERDALE	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
WAGONER	.00	.00	95.52	50.00	250.00
WARRENSVILLE	300.00	600.00	198.56	256.00	256.00
WELCOME HOME	648.45	1,172.03	805.90	.00	.00
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST	3,460.76	6,654.87	5,556.94	2,621.87	7,827.74
OTHER THAN CHURCH	.00	.00	.00	.00	.00
TOTAL	18,459.07	12,444.56	31,326.34	22,763.65	46,716.84

NORTH CAROLINA MISSIONS REPORT

Our 100 counties comprise a reue mission challenge to our churches, associations, state convention and its institutions and agencies. No longer can we take for granted our "Baptist heartland". No longer can we assume that we have enough churches, enough ministries, enough missionaries, enough money. More than three million of our state's six million residents claim no membership in a church, anybody's church. The numbers aren't much better within our own denomination. Of our 1.1 million members on the roll, less than one-third of that number attend worship services and Bible study on a "good " Sunday. Enrollment in our church program organizations declines more years than it grows. There were 100,000 more peole enrolled in Sunday School twenty years ago than today. We're not keeping up and we're certainly not growing as we should.

There is also a growing challenge in our direct mission ministries programs. Foreign nations have literally come to live on our doorstep with hundreds and thousands of people of different lands now calling North Carolina home. Migrant and seasonal farm workers can now be found in virtually every section of our state. There are greater challenges from people with special handicaps like the deaf, the blind, the mentally retarded. And there are new groups in need of our ministry - like those who abuse drugs and alcohol, those who are homeless, those who live without much hope.

But there is hope. Our churches, associations, state convention, institutions and agencies still stand ready to minister in Christ's name to all people. Unfavorable odds have never deterred our energies. We must reach out, minister, touch people wherever and by whatever means necessary.

THIS IS STATE MISSIONS. Our churches, associations, state convention coming together to reach these seemingly unreachables. State Missions is Walter Jones teaching a Seminary Extension course in a correctional institution. State Missions is Alma Helton going on volunteer mission projects from Alaska to Uruguay, state missions is Shinlowe Powell leading a lay revival weekend. State Missions is Amy Perez working with Hispanics in Charlotte. State Missions is Jesse Bowman, he's the first pastor of the First Baptist Church of the deaf in North Carolina. State Missions is Woodie Dozier and Martin Harris - they fix things for people in Fayetteville who need help.

State Missions is scholarships at Baptist Colleges for Baptist Students and scholarships for Baptist Young People at Camp Caraway (Royal Ambassadors? and Camp Mundo Vista (Girls-in-Action and Acteens). State Missions is supporting Fruitland Bible Institute and North Carolina Baptist Assembly (Caswell). State Missions is supporting the Christian Action League. State Missions is supporting associational missions.

State Missions is all of these ministries, these people, these concerns, these institutions. State Missions is our way of responding to the Great Commission in our part of the world. State Missions is our way of changing lives.

Respectfully Submitted,
Wayne Jones

BAPTIST CAMP REPORT

Our camp, located on the Paul Goodman road in the Fleetwood community continues to prove to be a blessing to our people from across the association. Church groups from outside our association use our facility when not in use by our churches.

Recently, the cabin built by the Midway church was made ready for use with the installation of mattresses for the bunks. This will provide sleeping space for 12 additional people. Also, we have plans to paint the exterior of the building before Winter. We will be asking for help for this project.

Has your church used the camp this summer? We would encourage you to plan some outing for your church family. This is an excellent setting for a Deacon's Retreat, Marriage Enrichment Seminar, and numerous other causes which could be so helpful to your people. Please remember, the building is winterized which make it usable the year-round. To book, simply call the associational office.

PASTOR'S SALARY & RETIREMENT

I wish to first thank the churches of the Association that provide a good income and retirement for their pastors. I am sure God is blessing you as you are obedient to His teachings in this area.

Second, I would like to encourage all our churches to seriously look at providing a better salary and retirement plan for pastors. Many may not have any type of retirement. Here are a few suggestions for you to consider.

1. Start early
2. Make adequate contributions
3. Contribute monthly
4. Let your money earn money - Choose a plan
5. Tax Shelter your contributions

The Associational office has information, including a new video entitled, "HOW TO BUILD AN ADEQUATE RETIREMENT," that will help you as you plan for the years ahead.

May God bless you as you are obedient to Him.

Respectfully Submitted,
John Leek

DISCIPLESHIP TRAINING

Training Church members in discipleship is a primary concern of my heart. I am always looking for better ways to reach Christians for discipleship training. As I think back over my life every era of it is blessed with warm memories of what God's people did to involve others in training.

When I was a teenager, dear people and my Christian parents reached out to help me grow as a disciple for Jesus. Today the resources and opportunities are vast. In our churches we can identify these godly men and women who go the second mile to enlist even the unlikely in Discipleship Training. Promotion and enlistment are not easy but they are Christlike tasks.

Call on us anytime we can help you reach and disciple your congregation. Each of us in Discipleship Training is eager to help you.

Continue now to obey the command of Jesus in Matthew 28:19-20. "Go ye therefore and teach all nations, baptising them in the name of the father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, teaching them to observe all things, whatsoever I have commanded you, and lo, I am with you always, even unto the end."

Respectfully Submitted,
Gwen Elliott

ASHE BAPTIST YOUTH COUNCIL

The Ashe Baptist Youth Council has completed a very successful year. The Lord blessed us tremendously during WITNESS 1989---30 young people made professions of faith! The Youth Council also sponsored Kids' Day 1989 (fun and games with a professional clown), and Youth Night 1990 (members of the Baptist Student Union from Appalachian shared music and testimonies.)

The Youth Council began the 1989-1990 associational year with $208.89 on hand, we received $1787.23 from the churches and special offerings, and $500.00 from the Association. the Youth Council spent $1466.23 leaving $996.19 on hand as of June 30, 1990.

The Youth Council appreciates the financial support of the churches and the Association. Most of all, we appreciate your participation as evidenced by the overwhelming response to WITNESS 1989.

Pray for the Youth Council as we attempt to provide fun and fellowship for the youth of our Association. Pray that God will continue to bless, as we share the Gospel of Jesus Christ with young people who face a complex and difficult world.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jim Rash, Chairman

EVANGELISM

Everything going on in our churches should revolve around the concept of evangelism. Evangelism is winning the lost, and when we have won them, what to do with them. In the great commission, Jesus instructs us to teach salvation, and, "whatsoever I have commanded you."

The major emphasis in evangelism this year was the "Here's Hope" Revivals. All churches participating experienced true revival along with the salvation of precious souls. We praise God for revival in all our churches. We have won some, let's teach them. Let us pray for those yet lost, and pray for one another as we witness to them.

The churches of the association have recorded 125 baptisms this year.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jimmy Warden, Chairman

PREACHER'S CONFERENCE

In reviewing the Preacher's Conference for the past year, there are many positive points which I see to have been accomplished.

First, the Conference exists as a very positive force and a great blessing to those of us who serve as pastors. The atmosphere is always that of sharing blessings, prayer requests, burdens, and being together.

Second, the good preaching we enjoy when we meet. God's Word is always a blessing as is the fellowship we enjoy because of the love we have for each other.

Third, the Conference receives an offering each month. This money is used for the purchase of flowers when a death occurs. We would like to encourage all pastors, preachers and laymembers to attend Preacher's Conference the second Saturday in each month.

I would like to thank Jimmy Rash, and Jimmy Warden for their service as Secretary/Treasurer and Billy Smith as Vice-Moderator. I would also like to thank the pastors for the privilege of serving them as Moderator.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Claybern Roten

CHURCH MUSIC

This is not so much a report as it is an appeal to the music people of our association. It is being written prior to our ASSOCIATIONAL EVANGELISTIC CRUSADE for which we hope to assemble a one-hundred voice choir.

Brother Bill Ballou and I have hoped for years to see an assocational choir assembled from the choirs of Ashe Association. This would be a wonderful opportunity to begin and maintain such a group. Whatever number we have in the Crusade Choir could be the beginning of such a choir which could meet periodically for rehearsal, learning new songs possible concerts. Christian fellowship, and at the same time have an oustanding choir for associational functions.

Our 1989 Associational Annual I listed thirty-nine choir directors which suggests that we have at least thirty-nine active choirs, and I'm sure there are more than this.

Brother Ballou and I would appreciate it if all of our churches would pray about such an endeavor and be prepared to respond when contacted in the coming church year.

Yours, In Christ,
Dewey Campbell
Assn. Choir Director

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL REPORT

CHURCHES REPORTING

BALD MOUNTAIN
BRISTOL
FLETCHER MEMORIAL
FRIENDLY GROVE
FRIENDSHIP
GRASSY CREEK
LANDMARK
LITTLE HELTON
LAUREL KNOB
LIBERTY GROVE
MIDWAY
MISSION HOME
NEW RIVER
NORTH BEAVER
OBIDS
OLD FIELDS
ORION
PHOENIX
ROUND KNOB
TRINITY
WAGONER
WELCOME HOME
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST

Number of Schools Reporting..... 23
Final Enrollment for Churches Reporting..... 1,653
Average Attendance for 21 Churches..... 1,407
Preschool..... 287
Children (6-11)..... 476

Youth (12-17)	291
Adult	422
Professions	37
Pupils Not In Sunday School	134
Parents Not In Sunday School	157
Cost of Cirriculum Materials	3,891.00
All Other VBS Expenses	3,178.00
VBS Offering/Through Coop-Program	2,280.00

Respectfully Submitted,
Bill Ballou, Assn. VBS Director

SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT

First, I want to say "Thank You" to the Association for the privilege that has been mine to serve as your Sunday Schhol Assist Team Leader for the year 1989/90.

Your Assist Team Members this year have been:

PRESCHOOL	Ann Vance
PRESCHOOL (MIDDLE)	Nancy Watson
CHILDREN (YOUNGER)	Diane Dixon
CHILDREN (MIDDLE)	Rev. Ken Morris
CHILDREN (OLDER)	Jeanna Furches
YOUTH	Lois Jones
ADULT	Darrell Campbell
MISSION/BACKYARD	
VBS WORKER	Vicki Blevins

Your Assist Team has been quite active this year. We have participated in or led the following activies:

* Assocational Sunday School Training School at Midway Church on October 30, 1989.
* Assist Team meeting at Eldreth's Restaurant on November 5, 1989.
* State Assist Team Institute at Ridgecrest on February 9 and 10, 1990.
* Here's Hope Revival preparation at West Jefferson First Baptist on January 29, 1990.
* State VBS Clinic at First Baptist, Wilkesboro, on March 9, 1990.
* Associational VBS Clinic at West Jefferson First Baptist, May 7, 1990.
* Associational Pastor/Sunday School Director Workshop at Friendship Church on May 22, 1990.

We have three new team members coming for the year 1990/91. Judy Moser will be working with Older Preschool; Linda Bare with Older Children; and Cindy Davis with Youth.

Your Assist Team is well-trained and eager to assist Sunday School Directors, Pastors and churches to improve your Sunday School.

(Statistics)

The Sunday School is the evangelistic arm of our churches. Therefore, let us "study to show thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of truth."

II Timothy 2:15

Respectfully,
Bernard D. Bare
Sunday School Assist Leader

SEMINARY EXTENSION REPORT
(School of Christian Studies)

Seminary Extension believes that learning is for life. Learning is something that should take place throughout life. It is also something which should prepare individuals for life's significant tasks.

Seminary Extension recognizes a need for training opportunities beyond the college and seminary campus. Its goal is to bring continuing theological education within reach of every Southern Baptist minister and lay person within Southern Baptist life.

For seminary graduates, Seminary Extension provides an opportunity to renew and update subjects studied earlier.

For lay church leaders; Seminary Extension affords a new depth of learning and a means to equip themselves for a wider range of service through the church.

It is important that we provid~ training for ministers and church leaders. The essence of our goal is expressed in the Seminary Extension's motto, "Continuing Education for Competent Ministry."

Plans for the current year, as to courses to be offered, are being formuled now. Pastors and church leadership will soon receive information concerning location of classes and courses to be offered.

Southern Baptists help underwrite the cost of study with Seminary Extension through the Cooperative Program funds they appropriate for the six seminaries. This subsidy helps keep the cost per course within a range every student can afford.

Respectfully Submitted,
Jack Miller

BROTHERHOOD REPORT
(Baptist Men)

The Brotherhood fills an important place in the plans of a church to share Christ with the world thus helping men to see their roles in proper perspective. In simple terms, the job of the Brotherhood is to lead all the men of the church to a deeper commitment to missions, a more meaningful prayer life for missions, a larger stewardship on behalf of missions and to a personal involvement in missions.

THE BROTHERHOOD ORGANIZATION PERFORMS FOUR TASKS IN KEEPING WITH ITS OBJECTIVES:

(1) Teach missions to all men, young men and boys.
(2) Lead all men, young men and boys to participate in mission activities.
(3) Provide Organization & Leadership for Special Projects of the church.
(4) Provide and Interpret Information Regarding The Work Of The Church And The Denomination.

MAY OUR PRAYER BE THAT GOD WILL GRANT US KNOWLEDGE AND WISDOM TO CARRY ON WITH THIS GREAT TASK THAT HE HAS GIVEN US.

We are here to help you and your church in preparing to go out and tell others what Christ has done for us.

Respectfully Submitted,
Larry Ballou
Brotherhood Director

IN MEMORIAM

It is altogether fitting and proper for this association to pause for a few minutes and pay tribute to those who have been called to join the ASSEMBLY OF THE REDEEMED in Heaven. May we ever remember our deceased friends who took heed to what the Master said in John 11:25-26, when He Said, "I am the resurrection and the life; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die."

APPLE GROVE - Mrs. Gertie Ham
BETHEL - Mr. Daley Miller
BIG FLATTS - Mrs. Lessie Lawrence, Mrs. Maymie Trivette, Mrs. Ollie Parsons, Mr. Robert Trivette.
BIG LAUREL - Kathlene Roten
BLUE RIDGE - Mr. Vaughn Nichols
BRISTOL - Mr. Joe Barker
BUFFALO - Mr. Howard Graybeal, Barry Hamrick

CALVARY - Ada Lambert, Miss Rita Sue Mullis.
CLIFTON - Mrs. Cora Gilley, Mrs. Ella Jones, Mrs. Nola Jones, Mr. Darrell Burchette.
FRIENDLY GROVE - Joseph Weaver, Ruby H. May, Edwin Blackburn.
FRIENDSHIP - Bruce Little, James Little, Bower J. Burkette, Mrs. Jesse Miller, Mrs. Dora Boggs, Frank Witherspoon, Stan Holman, Mrs. Doris Church.
LANDMARK - Bernice Hurley, Lola Blevins
LAUREL KNOB - Cliff Wilcox, Wesley Goodman, Tom Worley.
LIBERTY GROVE - Cecil Trivette
LITTLE HELTON - Jimmy Ray Waddell
OAK HILL - James Turner
OBIDS - Mrs. Nettie McNeill
OLD FIELDS - Mrs. Pearl Perkins, Mrs. Alice Griffen
ORION - Mr. Milt Miller
PHOENIX - Alton Eller, Lonnie Johnson, Raymond Riddle, Mrs. Lillie Greer.
PILOT MOUNTAIN - John Byland (Deacon), Noan Shermon Main.
PINE SWAMP - Mrs. Minnie Badger, Mrs. Beulah Osborne.
PLEASANT HOME - Miss Denton Deboard
PLEASANT VALLEY - Cynthia Taylor
ROUND KNOB - Hardin Severt
THREE FORKS - Ruth Farmer
TRINITY - Lee Watson, Wayne Blowers
WARRENSVILLE - Josephene Ashley, Walter Black, Dewey Turnmire, Emma Stanley.
WELCOME HOME - Mrs. Thelma McMillan
WEST JEFFERSON FIRST - Bessie Cook, Gertrude Reeves, Fred Eisenhower, William Floyd Johnson, Richard G. Sheets, Gale B. McMillan, Fred Myron Hudler.

WMU REPORT

There will and must be significant changes in our WMU programs in the 90's if we are to be an outstanding organization in meeting our responsibilities for Christ. We must find new and effective ways of reaching churches with the urgency of sharing the Christian message.

One of the best ways to describe our challenge this year is to "Go out on a limb." It has been so comfortable in by the tree trunk all these years with programs as usual -- meetings as usual; just the same thing over and over. Too, it has been secure in by the trunk, and the wind blows less and the branch isn't as limber and as likely to sway. But neither does new growth take place by the trunk.

To "Go out on a limb" means taking some risks for missions. It means venturing out from the security of how we've always done it. It means trying something new, meeting new people and maybe being in new places.

The 1990-91 WMU emphasis EMPOWERED! will focus our attention on the role of the Holy Spirit in leading and enabling us to do missions.

As today's missioning women, we must recognize these underlying truths:

1. Our reason for being is to share Christ.
2. The Holy Spirit is the primary and ultimate power to lead and enable us in personal involvement in missions.
3. Churches and people have diverse needs, wants, and styles.

Also, as women empowered by the Holy Spirit, our job is to create a spiritual climate in which people are led to:

1. Rely on the Holy Spirit as the source of our power.
2. Reclaim the meaning of missions.
3. Recognize and provide entry points for personal involvement.
4. Realize the diversity of the world and risk involvement.

Throughout the year, members of the Woman's Missionary Union will plan and participate in activities which will deepen their faith and enhance their vision. As a result, WMU members will do things for Christ that they would never attempted alone or thought of before.

Our Watchword comes from Ephessians 3:20-21:

"To him who by means of his power working in us is able to do so much more than we can ever ask for, or even think of: to God be the glory in the church and in Christ Jesus for all time, forever and ever! Amen"

Respectfully Submitted,
Ruth Calhoun
WMU Director

TEMPERANCE AND PUBLIC MORALS

Temperance is defined as "the state of quality of being moderate in action, speech, or habits; self-control. Temperance should be applied not only to food or drink, but to work and play."

We are faced with temptation every day and we struggle to do what we have been taught is right in the eyes of God. Many things have become acceptable in society which were once considered taboo, but we must use the Word of God as our guide.

As Christians, we seek to use moderation in all aspects of our lives and to avoid any situation which could cause pain or harm to others. We know that the use of alcohol and other drugs often causes even the most loving and gentle people to behave recklessly and without concern for those they love. This behavior endangers relationships, self-esteems and often, precious lives. The feeling one receives by using these substances is never worth the risk.

We are observed by others and our actions determine how we are accepted by our peers. One choice we must make, early in life, is concerning whom we wish to please. It is our hope that we choose to use as our guide in our actions and that we become positive role models for our youth. It is very difficult for them in a world where almost all is acceptable in music, literature, and the media. We, as adults, must give our children the Christian background they need to make the answers clearer.

Respectfully Submitted,
Richard A. Gardner, Sr.

SOUTHERN BAPTIST ANNUITY REPORT

The 1980's brough new challenges and opportunities to the Annuity Board staff, and the 1990's promise to continue this trend.

During the first six months of the new decade two major transitions occurred.

•Paul W. Powell succeeded Darold H. Morgan as president of the Annuity Board on March 1.

•On July 1, 1990, the Annuity Board began a relationship with The Prudential Insurance Company of America to provide life, medical and disability coverages.

"My goal is to lead the Annuity Board to the great mission and great purpose of God's calling."
Powell said during his installation.

Powell's specific dream for the Annuity Board is two-fold. "The annuity plans we administer will permit our members to retire with the dignity they deserve, and our life and health programs will provide the best possible protection at the lowest possible cost."

At the end of the second quarter of .990, 65,258 Southern Baptist ministers, church employees and denominational workers had active retirement accounts at the Annuity Board. Those participating in the Church Annuity Plan were 34,433.

"Participation in the Church Annuity Plan is strong, but there are still hundreds of ministers and church employees not participating in this great retirement plan," said Frank G. Schwall, Jr., director of Member Services Division.

"A highlight of this plan is the Cooperative Program matching funds from the state conventions," Schwall said. "This benefit not only provides supplemental disability and survivor benefits for some participants, but also adds to retirement benefit accumulations. No other plan offers this advantage."

Another advantage of the Church Annuity Plan is the Annuity Board's investment track record.

The 1980's were prosperous for Annuity Board retirement plan members. The earnings for each of the four plan funds for the period 1980-1989 were:

- The Fixed Fund, 10.2%;
- The Balanced Fund, 12.9%;
- The Short-Term Fund (since start in 1982), 8.9%; and
- The Variable Fund, 14.1%.

Although the 1990's will be different than the 1980's from a financial viewpoint, I believe the Annuity Board is positioned well to take advantage of the new trends and changes around the world," said John R. Jones, director of the Investment Division.

A major change for the 38,241 participants in the Church, Group and Seminarian medical plans was the move to The Prudential on July 1. Prudential is also the carrier for life and disability participation.

"Prudential is known as a leader and innovator in working with hospitals and physicians to keep health-care costs under better control," said John L. Dudley, director of Insurance Services Division.

"The Annuity Board, together with Prudential, will be designing programs to help keep costs affordable for the next decade. We look forward to this new relationship," Dudley Said.

Property and casualty insurance was offered in 14 states in 1990 through the new subsidiary corporation, Southern Baptist Convention Managing General Agency, Inc. This program should be available to all states by December of 1991.

"Steady growth is beginning to emerge within the Property and Casualty Division," said Gene Daniel, a director of the division.

"It is extremely important that Southern Baptist churches give us information on their property and casualty renewal date, independent insurance agent and church contact for our data files," Daniel said.

The Annuity Board continues to be a healthy financial institution managing total assets of $2.9 billion on June 30, 1990. The magnitude of that statistic can be overwhelming. But each dollar represents retirement income or life and health protection for a Christian servant in a Southern Baptist church or agency.

In the midst of the challenges and transitions of the 1990's it is reassuring to know the Board's ministry is exactly the same today as it was in 1918 -- *to serve those who serve the Lord.*

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Ervel Jones

ANNUITY PROGRAM IN NORTH CAROLINA
This is What is Happening in North Carolina in 1990

There are now 2,162 North Carolina churches and associations contributing to retirement plans.
North Carolina has 1,972 signed Cooperative Agreements! More than any other state!

The number of churches participating at the old Plan A level of $33.34 has DECREASED to less than 100.
The average annuitant in North Carolina receives $276.39 per month.
North Carolina has 3,436 members making contributions to Annuity Board retirement plans.
There are 1,889 annuitants receiving benefits each month in North Carolina - $522,109.84 each month!
It is exciting to think about what has been done to help ministers retire with dignity. Strong efforts have been made to make all our churches (and ministers) aware of the opportunities and the need to act on them.
But there is still so much to be done! Consider these facts:

- Only 64% of our churches are participating in our retirement plans - even after all these years of opportunity.
- Of this 64%, many do not actually make contributions. The minister does this on his own.
- Small contributions make the annuitant's benefits small: In North Carolina

175 receive less than $150
288 receive less than $100
544 receive less than $200
288 receive less than $300

- We have 151 churches that have signed the Cooperative Agreement, but still make no contribution.
- We have 457 churches that are making contributions but still have not signed the Cooperative Agreement.

Suffice it is to say that there is a GREAT challenge still before us to help ministers prepare for the future and to help churches be responsible employers.

Jim Lambert, Administrative Associate
for Minister Support

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE REPORT

Be it therefore resolved that we the messengers of the one hundred fourth annual meeting of the Ashe Baptist Association express our appreciation to the Fletcher Memorial and Big Flatts Churches for providing our meeting places; also to the ministers, lay persons and to these congregations for preparing and serving such delicious meals.

Be it further resolved that we extend our thanks to those who served as leaders in preparing the agenda, book of reports and meaningful worship throughout the session; namely, our Director of Missions, Rev. Bill Ballou; Secretary, Mrs. Jeannie McNeill; Moderator and Vice Moderator, Rev. Ervel Jones and Rev. Billy J. Blevins; Music Director

and Pianist, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Campbell; and the various other state and local leaders who joined us in carrying out our mission.

Be it further resolved that we would like to extend a special thank you to Rev. Bill Ballou for 21 years of faithful service to the Ashe Baptist Association as Director of Missions.

Let it be further resolved that we extend our thanks to our former Moderator and Vice-Moderator Rev. David Blackburn and Marvin Osborne.

Let us further resolve that we would at all times be in prayer for our sister churches. That we may be blessed and work together under the leadership of the Holy Spirit.

Respectfully Submitted,
Rev. Dean Watson, Chairman
Rev. Wayne Jones
Rev. Rex Eldreth
Resolutions Committee

TIME, PLACE AND PREACHER COMMITTEE REPORT

The next annual meeting of the Ashe Baptist Association will be held on Friday and Saturday, August 16 and 17, 1991. The Friday session will be hosted by Friendly Grove Baptist Church. The Saturday session will be hosted by Grassy Creek Baptist Church. The Preacher, who will speak at the Friday afternoon session is to be Rev. Lloyd Day.

Rev. Jimmy Warden, Chairman
Time, Place and Preacher Committee

TABLE A CHURCH MEMBERSHIP AND OTHER INFORMATION

DIRECTOR OF ASSOCIATIONAL MISSIONS
REV. WILLIAM C. (BILL) BALLOU
P.O. BOX 297
JEFFERSON, N.C. 28640

CHURCHES	PASTORS & ADDRESSES	County	Pastor Y/N	Year pastor came	Year organized as a church	Location code (1 thru 10)	Ratial/ethnic group (1 thru 6)	Two Sunday services Y/N	Baptisms under 6 yrs. of age	Baptisms 6-8 yrs. of age	Baptisms 9-11 yrs. of age	Baptisms 12-17 yrs. of age	Baptisms 18-29 yrs. of age	Baptisms 30-59 yrs. of age	Baptisms 60 yrs. & over	Total Baptisms	Other additions (by letter, statement, etc.)	Members lost (by letter, death, statement, etc.)	Present resident members	Present nonresident members	Grand total present members
APPLE GROVE	Earl Roten, Rt. 3 Box 260, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1889	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	79	27	109
BALO MOUNTAIN	Jack Pugh, PO Box 1377, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1984	1890	1	5	Y	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	4	7	2	195	64	259
BAPTIST HOME	No Report Received	Ashe																			
BEAVER CREEK		Ashe	N		1890	1	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BETHEL	Ross Harless, Rt. 2 Box 130, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1968				Y	0	0	3	1	2	0	0	6	2	1	99	20	119
BIG FLATS		Ashe	N		1909	1	5	N	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	6	68	35	103
BIG LAUREL	Roger Sheets, Rt. 2 Box 470, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1989	1880	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	12	23
BLUE RIDGE	Earl Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 380, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1968	1887	1	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21	26	47
BRISTOL	Billy Joe Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 84, Lansing, NC 28643	Ashe	Y	1973	1888	2	5	Y	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	5	8	6	223	46	296
BUFFALO		Ashe	N			1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CALVARY	Ray Ham, Rt. 1 Box 582, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1960	3	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	34	0	34
CLIFTON	Larry Powers, Rt. 1 Box 66A, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1988	1891	1	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	153	72	225
FARMER MEMORIAL	No Report Received	Ashe																			
FLETCHER MEMORIAL		Ashe	N		1954	3	5	Y	0	0	4	2	2	6	0	14	11	10	373	60	433
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles Edwards, PO Box 1640, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1987	1945	1	5	Y	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	5	8	20	62	282
FRIENDSHIP	Johnny Blevins, PO Box 881, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1988	1880	1	5	Y	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	3	8	313	44	357
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Jerry Winkler, 30 Irongate, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	Y	1988	1914	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	111	74	185
GRASSY CREEK	Kermit Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 121, Gap Cr. Estates, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y	1979	1929	2	5	Y	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	4	4	5	103	60	163

HEALING SPRINGS	Dean Watson, Rt. 1 Box 77, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Ashe	Y	1984	1884	1	5	Y	0	1	3	0	1	2	1	8	5	3	103	81	184
LANDMARK	Oavid Testerman, PO Box 1300, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1856	1	5	Y	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	1	126	152	18	170
LAUREL KNO8	Jimmy Rash, Rt. 1 Box 326, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1984	1912	1	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	77	25	102
LIBERTY GROVE	Harvey Presnell, PO Box 50, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y	1986	1915	1	5	Y	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	4	5	5	133	60	193
LITTLE HELTON		Ashe	N		1923	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	43	55	98
MIDWAY	Ervel Jones, Rt. 3 8ox 72, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1985	1953	1	5	Y	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	5	4	2	193	65	258
MISSION HOME	Jack Miller, Rt. 3 8ox 178, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1971	1892	2	5	N	0	3	1	1	0	0	0	5	1	1	128	45	173
MOUNT OLIVE	Gary Watson, Rt. 1 Box 77, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y	1986	1941	1	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	9	62
NEW RIVER	Jimmy Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	Ashe	Y	1976	1885	1	5	N	0	0	2	3	0	2	0	7	1	0	102	134	236
NORTH 8EAVER		Ashe			1943	1	5	N	0	1	3	1	0	2	0	7	0	0	106	43	149
OAK HILL		Ashe	N		1927	1	5	N	0	0	0	5	0	0	1	6	0	4	92	65	163
O8IDS	Earl Sheets, Sr., Rt. 1 Box 854, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1988	1892	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	23	32	55
OLD FIELDS	W. E. 8urchette, Rt. 3 Box 246, W. Jefferson,NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1986	1803	1	5	N	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	4	8	3	91	14	105
ORION	John Leek, 302 Quail Hollow Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1983	1911	1	5	N	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	4	7	2	168	15	183
PEAK VALLEY		Ashe	N		1882	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	10	17
PHOENIX	Rex Eldreth, PO 8ox 132, Millers Creek, NC 28651	Ashe	Y	1989	1908	1	5	N	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	5	2	8	111	39	150
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Gwen Day, Rt. 1 8ox 238, Fleetwood, NC 28626	Wat.	Y	1988	1886	1	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	85	3	88
PINE SWAMP		Ashe	N		1948	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	44	20	64
PLEASANT HOME	Marvin Smith, PO 8ox 39, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Ashe	Y	1987	1870	1	5	N	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	4	3	2	78	42	120
PLEASANT VALLEY		Ashe	N		1882	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	59	106
PROSPERITY	No Report Received	Ashe																			
ROUND KNO8	J. E. Owens, 308 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1983	1940	1	5	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	77	32	109
SABBATH HOME	No Report Received	Ashe																			
STURGILLS	Lloyd Oay, Rt. 3 Box 194, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1978	1933	1	5	N	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	4	1	2	94	40	134
THREE FORKS	Chris Goodman, 973 N. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	Ashe	Y	1989	1835	1	5	N	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	2	5	56	62	117
TRINITY	Paul Coffey, PO Box 105, Deep Gap, NC 28618	Wat.	Y	1988	1975	1	5	Y	0	0	1	5	2	0	0	8	6	2	225	9	234
TUCKERDALE	Lloyd Day, Rt. 3 Box 194, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1984	1915	1	5	N	0	0	2	3	2	0	1	8	1	2	150	27	177
WAGONER		Ashe	N		1949	1	5	N	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	3	1	100	20	120
WARRENSVILLE		Ashe	N		1929	2	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	169	62	231
WELCOME HOME	Joe Riley Bleivns, Rt. 1 Box 272, Crumpler, NC 28617	Ashe	Y	1988	1935	1	5	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	128	45	173
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	J. Kennith Morris, PO Box 442, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	Ashe	Y	1973	1916	3	5	Y	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	7	14	360	45	405
	TOTALS								**0**	**16**	**36**	**36**	**17**	**20**	**4**	**127**	**120**	**287**	**4,998**	**1,780**	**6,991**

TABLE B SUNDAY SCHOOL

ASSOCIATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS
MR. BERNARD BARE
410 MARTIN STREET
JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCHES	SUNDAY SCHOOL DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Cradle Roll enrollment (Birth to 2 years)	Preschool enrollment (Birth through 5 years)	Children enrollment (6 - 11 years or grades 1-6)	Youth enrollment (12-17-years or grades 7-12)	Young adult enrollement-Single (18-29 years or HS graduation thru 29 years)	Young adult enrollment-married (18-29 years or HS graduation thru 29 years)	Adult enrollment (30-59 years)	Senior Adult enrollment (60 and over)	Adults Away enrollment	Homebound enrollment	General officers enrollment	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Sunday School enrollment	Average weekly Sunday School attendance	Number in Outreach Bible Study groups	Weekly evangelistic visitation Y/N	Number ethnic Sunday School members	Church V.B.S. enrollment	Mission V.B.S. enrollment	Backyard Bible Club enrollment
APPLE GROVE	James Howell, Rt. 2 Box 60, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	5	4	I	3	2	16	5	0	0	0	0	36	30	0	N	0	0	0	0
BALD MOUNTAIN	Harold Wyatt, Rt. 1 Box 636, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	7	18	12	11	23	27	17	0	0	2	0	117	70	0	Y	0	55	0	0
BAPTIST HOME	No Report Received																				
BEAVER CREEK	Dennis Watson, Rt. 1 Box 120, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	04	2	0	0	8	2	0	0	1	0	17	19	0	N	0	0	0	0
BETHEL	Brian Grogan, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	3	0	5	20	13	0	59	0	0	0	0	0	100	70	0		0	0	0	
BIG FLATTS	Thomas A. Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 219, Todd, NC 28684	0	7	8	11	7	4	25	9	0	0	2	0	73	43	0	N	1	40	0	0
BIG LAUREL	Glyda Roten, Rt. 2 Box 140, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	2	0	11	2	0	N	0	39	0	0
BLUE RIDGE	James Watson, Rt. 2 Box 324, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	20	0	I	1	0	24	18	0	N	0	0	0	0
BRISTOL	Jerry Severt, Rt. 2 Box 44, Lansing, NC 28643	0	9	12	10	3	18	35	30	0	0	3	0	120	B1	0	Y	0	110	0	0
BUFFALO	Kenneth Furches, Rt. 3 Box 402, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	2	7	15	15	0	70		0	0	0	0	0	109	80	0	N	0	95	0	0
CALVARY	Bobby Lamert, Church Ave., W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	6	4	2	2	2	10	4	0	0	4	0	34	29	0	N	0	34	0	0
CLIFTON	Edd Miller, Rt. 2 Box 40A, Creston, NC 28615	0	5	6	8	5	2	27	9	0	0	1	0	63	45	0	N	0	60	0	0
FARMER MEMORIAL	No Report Received																				
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Dan Bare, PO Box 186, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	10	15	20	20	10	55	35	0	0	4	0	169	140	0	N	0	125	0	0
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles Severt, Rt. 3 Box 457, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	3	4	16	9	9	11	68	15	0	0	5	0	140	88	0	N	0	34	0	0
FRIENDSHIP	Kyle Ball, Rt. 3 Box 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	20	18	25	0	21	22	32	0	0	2	0	140	75	0	Y	0		135	13
GLENDALE SPRINGS	George Swann, Rt. 2, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	6	4	5	5	5	9	26	6	0	0	10	0	76	65	0	Y	0	77	0	0
GRASSY CREEK	David Peterson, Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	4	7	9	4	3	31	8	0	0	0	0	66	43	0	N	0	45	0	0

HEALING SPRINGS	Charles Phipps, Rt. 1, Crumpler, NC 28617	1	10	10	4	3	3	16	10	0	0	10	0	67	65	0	N	0	84	0	0
LANDMARK	Glenn Davis, Rt. 2 Box 553B, Lansing, NC 28643	0	12	7	9	1	7	30	15	0	0	4	0	86	86	0	N	0	100	0	0
LAUREL KNOB	Fred Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	1	2	3	8	4	0	8	0	0	0	7	0	34	45	0	N	0		0	0
LIBERTY GROVE	Kermit Miller, Star Route, Box 122C, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	10	13	11	6	6	26	16	0	0	3	0	91	70	0	Y	0	35	0	0
LITTLE HELTON		1	0	5	10	0	3	12	22	0	0	6	0	56	34	0	N	0	40	0	0
MIDWAY	Dwight Furches, Rt. 3 Box 149, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	2	14	16	15	0	0	52	24	0	0	4	0	127	87	16	Y	2	107	0	0
MISSION HOME	Bill Gentry, Rt. 1 Box 251, Todd, NC 28684	0	9	13	13	7	0	30	17	0	0	3	0	92	77	0	N	0	98	0	0
MOUNT OLIVE	David Surber, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	0	2	2	3	9	4	16	3	0	2	5		46	0	0	N	0	0	0	0
NEW RIVER	Duane Pollard, Rt. 1 Box 556, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	15	20	16	3	4	37	20	0	8	3	0	126	82	0	N	0	89	0	0
NORTH BEAVER	Jim Ketner, Rt. 2 Box 340, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	7	15	14	9	0	19	12	0	0	2	0	78	43	0	N	0	39	0	0
OAK HILL	Walter Blevins, Rt. 2 Box 54, Lansing, NC 28643	0	3	3	5	3	6	21	11	0	0	7	0	59	45	0	N	0	39	0	0
OBIDS	Glenn South, Rt. 2 Box 591, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	3	8	6	0	0	16	5	0	0	5	0	43	30	0	N	0	27	0	0
OLD FIELDS	John Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	3	10	6	0	6	15	20	0	0	2	0	62	50	0	N	0	58	0	0
ORION	Russell Vannoy, Rt. 3 Box 711, W. Jefferson,NC 28694	0	7	8	9	7	9	8	30	0	0	2	0	80	58	0	N	0	50	0	0
PEAK VALLEY	Don McCoy, Rt. 1, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	1	0	10	8	0	N	0	0	0	0
PHOENIX	J. C. Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	4	12	10	12	4	20	18	4	0	3	0	87	58	0	N	0	64	0	0
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Doug Greene, Rt. 1 Box 777, Boone, NC 28607	2	4	2	3	5	6	20	8	0	0	4	15	69	38	0	N	0	20	0	0
PINE SWAMP	Kyle Vannoy, Rt. 2 Box 345, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	2	0	2	5	2	6	10	10	0	0	2	0	39	30	0	N	0	20	0	0
PLEASANT HOME	Wayne Jones, Rt. 1 Box 26J, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	5	3	8	6	7	10	11	0	0	12	0	62	35	0	N	0	53	0	0
PLEASANT VALLEY	Ward Ballou, Rt. 1 Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 28631																				
PROSPERITY	No Report Received																				
ROUND KNOB	Walter Smith, Box 272, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	8	8	10	10	10	20	10	0	0	7	0	76	35	0	N	0	0	0	0
SABBATH HOME	No Report Received																				
STURGILLS	Ricky Little, Rt. 2 Box 493, Lansing, NC 28643	1	12	12	12	0	0	48	0	0	0	0	0	85	52	0	N	0	50	0	0
THREE FORKS	Gary Roten, Rt. 2, Creston, NC 28615	0	2	3	6	4	4	18	9	0	0	5	0	50	35	0	N	0	51	0	0
TRINITY	Leroy Watson, Rt. 1 Box 75A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	19	21	8	5	26	21	24	0	0	2	0	126	81	0	Y	0	105	0	0
TUCKERDALE	Ralph Davis, PO Box 115, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	11	9	15	8	25	33		0	0	11	0	112	82	0	N	0	83	0	0
WAGONER	Eddie Liddle, Rt. 1 Box 194A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	6	10	5	6	6	22	10	0	0	2	0	67	45	0	N	0	69	0	0
WARRENSVILLE	Lanny Lewis, Rt. 2 Box 12, West Jefferson, NC 28694	4	8	10	10	6	16	6	17	0	0	2	0	79	55	0	N	0	66	0	0
WELCOME HOME	Leonard Crepps, Rt. 1 Box 202A, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	5	6	3	0	0	26	14	0	0	9	0	64	46	0	N	0	86	0	0
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	Larry Rhodes, PO Box 61, Jefferson, NC 28640	5	26	17	21	16	12	20	78	0	26	4	0	225	91	0	N	0	85	0	8
	TOTALS	33	295	386	391	214	289	093	622	4	57	154	15	3,496	2,361	16		3	2,234	135	21

TABLE C CHURCH TRAINING

ASSOCIATIONAL CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTOR
MRS. GWEN ELLIOTT
RT. 3 BOX 142
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	CHURCH TRAINING DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment (5 years and under-not in school	Children enrollment (6-11 years or grades 1-6	Youth enrollment (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	General officers enrollment	New Church Member Training	Baptist Doctrine Study	Disciple Youth and Disciple Life	Equipping Center	LIFE	Leader Training and other Discipleship Training	Enrollment of mission(sO of church	Total Discipleship Training enrollment/participation	Average weekly Discipleship Training attendance
FRIENDSHIP	Robert Marsh, P.O. Box 602, Jefferson, NC 28640	9	6	8	16	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	41	30
LIBERTY GROVE	William Scott, Rt. 1 Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	3	9	8	37	4	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	91	40
MIDWAY	Mrs. Geraldine Harless, Rt. 3 Box 349, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	4	7	6	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	38
MISSION HOME	Wayne Testerman, Rt. 1, Box 173, Todd, NC : 28684	3	4	10	30	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	51	41
OLD FIELDS	James Brooks, Rt. 1 Box 838, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	3	9	4	20	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	29
ORION	Mrs. Cathy Dishman, Rt. 1 Box 61A, Jefferson, NC 28640	5	5	5	18	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	39	25
PHOENIX	Mrs. Kathleen Turnmire, Rt. 1 Box 32A, Warrensville, NC 28693	2	5	5	20	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	27
TRINITY	Ronnie Dowell, Rt. 1 Box 471, Deep Gap, NC 28618	3	4	2	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	30	37
	TOTALS	**32**	**49**	**48**	**177**	**14**	**5**	**35**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**5**	**0**	365	**267**

TABLE D MUSIC MINISTRY

ASSOCIATIONAL MUSIC DIRECTOR
MR. DEWEY CAMPBELL
P.O. Box 461
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	MUSIC DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Preschool enrollment	Younger children's enrollment (6-8 years)	Older children's enrollment (9-11 years)	Youth enrollment (12-17 years)	Adult enrollment (18 and over)	Handbell ringers enrollment	Vocal ensembles enrollment	Instrumental ensembles enrollment	General music leaders enrollment	Enrollment of Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Music Ministry enrollment	Average weekly Music Ministry attendance
APPLE GROVE	None listed												
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mr. Carroll Elliott, Rt. 1 Box 248, Todd, NC 28684	0	2	8	5	20	0	4	0	5	0	44	35
BAPTIST HOME	No Report Received												
BEAVER CREEK	Mrs. Sandy Patrick, PO Box 1098, W. Jefferson, NC 28694												
BETHEL	Earl McNeill, PO Box 481, W. Jefferson, NC 28694												
BIG FLATTS	Russell Phillips, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	3	3	4	7	39	0	5	0	3	0	64	43
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	6	0
BLUE RIDGE	Patricia Hayworth, Rt. 2 Box 320, W. Jefferson, NC 28694												
BRISTOL	Vaughn Baldwin, 32 Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	4	7	4	26	0	0	0	3	0	44	35
BUFFALO	(None Listed)												
CALVARY	Clayborn Wagoner, Rt. 1, Bare St., W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	1	1	10	0	0	0	3	0	16	11
CLIFTON	Mrs. Peggy Powers, Rt. 1, Box 66A, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	1	0	7	9	0	4	0	2	0	23	13
FARMER MEMORIAL	No Report Received												
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Junior Greer, Rt. 3 Box 688, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	3	6	5	8	30	0	16	5	3	0	76	30
FRIENOLY GROVE	Oewey Campbell, PO Box 461, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	32	0	19	3	3	0	57	29
FRIENOSHIP	Tim Vannoy, Rt. 3, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	3	23	0	12	0	8	0	46	25
GLENOALE SPRINGS	Oale Neaves, Rt. 1, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	2	1	25	0	11	0	3	0	44	21
GRASSY CREEK	Mrs. Nancy Phipps, Rt. 1, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363												

HEALING SPRINGS	Shannon Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	1	0	2	19	0	0	0	4	0	26	12
LANDMARK	R. L. BLevins, PO Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	6	0	0	4	24	0	7	0	1	6	42	15
LAUREL KNOB	Mrs. Freda Goodman, Star Route Box 633, Deep Gap, NC 28618												
LIBERTY GROVE	William Scott, Rt. 1 Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	2	2	2	4	34	0	0	0	3	0	47	30
LITTLE HELTON	Karen Parsons, PO Box 162, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	2	2	8	0	0	0	2	0	14	10
MIDWAY	Oon Goodman, Rt. 2 Box 18, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	5	2	0	10	20	0	4	0	7	0	48	30
MISSION HOME	Jimmy Gentry, PO Box 1054, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	4	4	6	26	0	0	0	4	0	44	30
MOUNT OLIVE	Tony Caparolie, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684												
NEW RIVER	Mr. A. T. Arnold, Rt. 1 Box 83, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	5	6	0	0	15	0	2	0	4	0	32	28
NORTH BEAVER	Mr. Scott Privette, Rt. 1 Box 599, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	2	4	9	0	0	0	2	0	17	7
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 6, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	4	3	19	0	0	0	2	0	28	
OBIDS	Mrs. Vilena South, Rt. 2 Box 591, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0
OLD FIELDS	Mrs. Dianne Brown, Rt. 2 Box 593, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	2	4	4	1	13	0	0	0	4	0	28	23
ORION	(None Listed)		0	0	0	27	0	4	0	3	0	34	25
PEAK VALLEY	(None Listed)												
PHOENIX	Mr. Bob Calhoun, Rt. 3 Box 26B, Lansing, NC 28643	3	5	2	3	12	0	0	0	3	0	28	10
PILOT MOUNTAIN	William F. Vannoy, Rt. 1 Box 44, Todd, NC 28684												
PINE SWAMP	(None Listed)												
PLEASANT HOME	Beatrice Young, Rt. 1 Box 314, Grassy Creek, NC 28631												
PLEASANT VALLEY	Ward Ballou, Rt. 1 Box 123, Grassy Creek, NC 28631												
PROSPERITY	(No Report Received)												
ROUND KNOB	Mrs. Anna Belle Cox, Rt. 2 Box 154, Fleetwood, NC 28626												
SABBATH HOME	(No Report Received)												
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643												
THREE FORKS	(None Listed)												
TRINITY	Jack Watson, P.O. Box 93, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	0	34	0	0	0	4	0	4	38
TUCKERDALE	Edison Harless, Rt. 2 Box 644, Lansing, NC 28643												
WAGONER	Russell Roark, Rt. 1 Box 1238, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	1	0	3	4	0	0	0	0	2	20	20	10
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Eva Miller, P.O. Box 94, Warrensville, NC 28693	4	3	4	12	0	0	4	0	3	0	30	8
WELCOME HOME	Mr. Claude Neaves, 1450 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	2	0	20	15
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	G. Allen Chester, PO Box 180, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	12	10	24	10	0	1	3	0	51	32
	TOTALS	**35**	**45**	**66**	**101**	520	10	92	9	**90**	**26**	935	575

TABLE E WOMAN'S MISSIONARY UNION

ASSOCIATIONAL WMU DIRECTOR
MRS. RUTH CALHOUN
P.O. Box 147
JEFFERSON, NC 28640

CHURCH	WMU DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Mission Friends (5 years and under-not in school	Girls in action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-34 years or HS graduation through 34 years)	Baptist Women (35 and over)	Mission(s) of church	Total number of organizations	Missions Friends (5 years and under not in school)	Girls in Action (6-11 years or grades 1-6)	Acteens (12-17 years or grades 7-12)	Baptist Young Women (18-34 years or HS graduation through 34 years)	Baptist Women (35 and over)	WMU officers	Mission(s) of church	Total ongoing WMU enrollment
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mrs. Paulette Poe, Rt. 1, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	6	3	5	8	14	4	0	40
BIG FLATTS	Illa Trivette, Rt. 1, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	3	0	11
BUFFALO	Mrs. JoAnn Swift, P.O. Box 1075, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	18	18	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	3
CALVARY	Mrs. Pat Miller, Rt. 1, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	9	10
CLIFTON	Mrs. Debbie Jones, Rt. 1, Box 238, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	7	0	10	1	0	18
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mrs. Kathy Bower, 417 Martin Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	14	9	12	12	30	1	0	78
FRIENDSHIP	Mrs. Pat Miller, 235 Glenn Bare Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	2	1	1	0	0	1	5	8	4	6	0	24	10	0	60
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mrs. Christine Jordan, Rt. 3 Box 199, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	1	0	0	2	0	3	0	3	0	0	25	4	0	32
HEALING SPRINGS	Mrs. Rose Mary Phipps, Rt. 1, Box 609, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	10	14
LIBERTY GROVE	Mrs. Lorna Scott, Rt. 1 Box 48, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	15	1	0	16
MIDWAY	Mrs. Barbara Hodge, P.O. Box 611, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	8	4	7	0	12	1	0	33
MISSION HOME	Mrs. Nelda Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 150, Todd, NC 28684	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	5	0	0	0	7	5	12	17
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jean Eggers, Rt. 1 Box 41, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	16	2	0	20
NORTH BEAVER	Mrs. India Privette, Rt. 1 Box 599, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	7	2	0	9
OLD FIELDS	Mrs. Norma Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	1	0	1	1	0	3	0	4	0	4	8	1	0	17
ORION	Mrs. Clyde Dillard, Rt. 1 Box 57, Jefferson, NC 28640	1	1	1	1	1	0	5	4	8	11	5	16	8	0	52
PHOENIX	Mrs. Cecil Eldreth, PO Box 26, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	5
TRINITY	Mrs. Martha Watson, Rt. 1 Box 85, Fleetwood, NC 28626	1	1	0	1	0	0	4	5	4	0	9	12	5	0	35
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Eva Miller, PO Box 94, Warrensville, NC 28693	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	2	5	1	0	12	1	0	21
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	Mrs. Zola Massey, Rt. 3 Box 350, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	12	6	6	0	57	4	0	85
	TOTALS	**10**	**10**	**8**	**5**	**15**	**21**	**70**	**64**	**50**	**55**	**40**	**276**	**63**	**31**	**576**

TABLE F BROTHERHOOD

ASSOCIATIONAL BROTHERHOOD DIRECTOR
MR. WILLIAM FAIRCHILD
RT. 2 BOX 252
WEST JEFFERSON, NC 28694

CHURCHES	BROTHERHOOD DIRECTORS & ADDRESSES	Lads (6-8 years or grades 1-3)	Crusaders (9-11 years or grades 4-6)	Pioneers (12-14 years or grades 7-9)	High School Baptist Young Men enrollment	Baptist Young Men enrollment	Baptist Men enrollment	Mission Project Participation	Ongoing Missions Action Groups Participation	Enrollment of mission(s) of church	Total ongoing Brotherhood enrollment
CLIFTON	Larry Powers, Rt. 1 Box 66A, Jefferson, NC 28640	2	0	1	2	0	5	0	0	0	10
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Bobby Hudler, Ashe Park Rd., Jefferson, NC 28640	2	5	5	3	2	20	0	37	0	74
FRIENDLY GROVE	Leonard Smith, Rt. 3, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	15
MIDWAY	Sterling Copeland, Rt. 2 Box 681, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	4	4	4	4	0	10	0	0	0	26
OLD FIELDS	Chris Greene, Box 139, Deep Gap, NC 28618	1	1	0	0	2	9	0	0	0	13
PHOENIX	Howard Turnmire, Rt. 1 Box 32A, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	15
TRINITY	Dale Blevins, Star Route 1, Deep Gap, NC 28618	6	6	0	0	0	0	16	2	0	30
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	John R. Smith, PO Box 1215, Boone, NC 28607	0	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	15
	TOTALS	**15**	**16**	**10**	**9**	**4**	**89**	**16**	**39**	**0**	**198**

TABLE G TOTAL RECEIPTS, LOCAL EXPENDITURES & STEWARDSHIP

ASSOCIATIONAL TREASURER
MRS. FRED (JEANNIE) MCNEILL
RT. 1 BOX 87
CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	TREASURERS & ADDRESSES	Undesignated gifts, offerings, etc.	Designated Gifts, Offerings, etc.	Total tithes, all offerings, and special gifts	All other receipts	Total receipts	Money borrowed during the year	Church staff salaries	Money paid out on new construction during the year	Debt retirement during year	Church literature	All other local expenditures	Total local expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	3,289	0	3,289	0	0	0	607	0	0	279	2,103	2,989
BALD MOUNTAIN	Ronnie Hopkins, Rt. 1 Box 679, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	33,788	39,196	72,984	429	73,413	150,000	13,980	189,776	0	2,529	19,495	225,780
BAPTIST HOME	(No Report Received)												
BEAVER CREEK	Wayne Patrick, P.O. Box 1098, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	10,519	212	10,731	0	10,731	0	4,920	0	0	567	1,950	7,437
BETHEL	E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,350	23,151	0	970	3,249	34,720
BIG FLATTS	Mrs. Janet Jordan, Rt. 1 Box 219, Todd, NC 28684	13,742	22,951	36,693	0	36,693	0	5,990	62,806	0	458	5,593	74,847
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	1,685	0	1,685	448	2,133	0	555	0	0	88	814	1,459
BLUE RIDGE	Ms. Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	9,512	0	9,512	0	9,512	0	3,550	0	0	93	5,551	9,194
BRISTOL	Mrs. Mary Lambert, 907 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	26,582	8,481	35,063	1,961	37,024	2,000	18,680	2,987	2,000	835	6,509	31,011
BUFFALO	Mrs. Kim Furchess, Rt. 3 Box 402, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	24,821	5,306	30,127	0	30,127	0	9,661	0	7,224	1,069	5,130	23,085
CALVARY	Mr. Bobby Lambert, Church Ave., W. Jefferson, NC 28694	7,850	1,670	9,520	0	9,520	0	3,300	1,800	0	400	500	6,000
CLIFTON	Mrs. Gale Jones, Rt. 2 Box 318, Creston, NC 28615	21,310	4,192	25,502	0	25,502	0	8,520	0	0	1,450	11,906	21,876
FARMER MEMORIAL	(No Report Received)												
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mrs. Vivian Hartsoe, 101 Lawson Lane, Jefferson, NC 28640	133,566	15,764	149,360	552	149,912	8,000	28,884	50,659	8,205	4,536	18,694	110,978
FRIENDLY GROVE	Charles King, Rt. 3 Box 312, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	65,956	8,726	74,682	1,119	75,801	0	35,451	1,530	0	3,249	7,308	10,556
FRIENDSHIP	Mrs. Ruby Little, 1028 E. Main Street, Jefferson, NC 28640	50,421	21,559	71,980	156	72,139	0	27,485	0	0	2,476	20,602	50,564
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Mrs. Madge Hudler, Rt. 2 Box 498, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	21,145	16,386	37,531	331	37,862	30,000	11,950	51,449	0	722	5,986	70,107
GRASSY CREEK	Mr. Jack McGrady, Piney Creek, NC 28663	28,458	2,177	30,635	0	30,635	0	15,385	1,492	0	948	1,061	18,886

HEALING SPRINGS	Mrs. Rose Mary Phipps, Rt. 1 8ox 609, Crumpler, NC 28617	23,011	4,624	27,635	2,400	30,035	0	16,204	0	0	930	6,128	23,262
LANOMARK	Mrs. Linda 8levins, PO Box 324, Jefferson, NC 28640	22,210	4,622	26,832	616	27,448	0	10,495	0	0	1,179	7,768	19,442
LAUREL KNO8	Mrs. Imogene Goodman, 840 E. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	20,518	4,091	24,609	368	24,977	0	14,706	0	0	556	5,873	21,135
LIBERTY GROVE	Mrs. Mary South, PO Box 90, Oeep Gap, NC 28618	32,903	2,810	35,713	0	35,713	0	8,640	0	0	872	6,689	16,201
LITTLE HELTON	Mrs. Kay Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	2,086	996	2,832	0	2,832	0	3,415	0	0	636	994	5,045
MIOWAY	Mrs. 8arbara Hodge, PO 8ox 611, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	89,372	9,913	99,285	1,285	100,570	0	25,334	0	10,480	2,657	26,084	64,555
MISSION HOME	Mr. Raymond Brown, Rt. 1 Box 205, Fleetwood, NC 28626	32,663	1,176	33,839	57	33,896	0		0	2,559	1,137	5,235	24,927
MOUNT OLIVE	Tony Caparolie, Rt. 1 Box 185, Todd, NC 28684	1,200	180	1,390	0	1,380	10,000	3,630	10,000	2,243	607	2,400	10,380
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 8ox 338, Piney Creek, NC 28663	39,655	12,671	52,326	147	52,473	0	18,167	0	0	576	23,016	41,759
NORTH 8EAVER	Mrs. Kathy 8levins, Rt. 2 Box 764, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	14,106	556	14,672	0	14,672	0	7,600	0	3,362	1,175	2,098	14,235
OAK HILL	Burton Miller, Rt. 2 8ox 15, Lansing, NC 28643			15,035	0	15,035	0	7,193	0	0	533	4,455	12,181
O8IOS	Mrs. Margaret 8are, Rt. 2 8ox 519, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	10,366	6,944	17,310	0	0	2,500	3,730	8,520	2,619	253	2,267	17,389
OLO FIELDS	Mrs. Nelle Hayes, Rt. 3 8ox 732, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	28,416	6,926	35,342	0	35,342	0	14,430	0	0	1,580	5,952	21,963
ORION	Mr. Ralph Jones, Rt. 1 8ox 500, Crumpler, NC 28617	36,412	19,484	55,896	129	56,025	0	22,167	0	15,445	1,658	12,080	51,350
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Sehpherd, Rt. 1 8ox 289, Creston, NC 28615	1,288	0	1,288	0	0	1,288	384	0	0	51	567	1,002
PHOENIX	Rev. 8ruce Eller, Rt. 1 Box 77, Warrensville, NC 28693	28,403	7,779	36,182	409	36,591	0	9,852	0	0	1,721	12,767	24,852
PILOT MOUNTAIN	Mrs. Mary Greene, Rt. 1 Box 777, Boone, NC 28607	8,054	461	8,515	0	8,515	0	4,356	600	0	260	2,328	7,544
PINE SWAMP	Mrs. Shelby Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 204, Fleetwood, NC 28626	4,397	225	4,622	0	4,622	0	2,864	217	0	197	2,077	5,355
PLEASANT HOME	Mrs. Sue Weaver, Rt. 1 Box 290, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	17,315	2,807	20,122	54	20,176	5,000	6,750	6,699	4,282	735	3,729	22,195
PLEASANT VALLEY	Mrs. 8renda Waddell, Rt. 1 Box 299, Crumpler, NC 28617	1,165	0	1,165	0	1,165	0	550	0	0	69	383	1,002
PROSPERITY	(No Report Received)												
ROUNO KNO8	Mrs. Annie Severt, Rt. 2 8ox 160, Fleetwood, NC 28626	13,170	0	13,170	127	13297	0	7,120	0	0	293	2,971	10,384
SA88ATH HOME	(No Report Received)												
STURGILLS	Mrs. Katherine Sturgill, Rt. 2 8ox 341, Lansing, NC 28643	8,480	1,776	10,256	0	10,256	0	4,802	0	0	453	1,928	7,183
THREE FORKS	Mr. Carroll Roten, Rt. 2 Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	10,531	0	10,531	0	10,531	0	1,860	0	0	756	4,763	7,379
TRINITY	Leslie Gentry, Star Rt. 1 Box 115, Oeep Gap, NC 28618	53,820	7,890	61,710	0	61,710	0	17,023	0	8,880	1,569	4,192	31,664
TUCKEROALE	Mr. Ronda Powers, Rt. 2 8ox 716, Lansing, NC 28643	20,041	2,170	22,211	400	22,611	0	9,600	3,195	0	1,124	2,135	16,054
WAGONER	Mrs. Irma Liddle, Rt. 1 8ox 194-A, Jefferson, NC 28640	12,889	614	13,503	0	13,503	0	73	0	0	484	6,525	14,324
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Janie Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 21, Warrensville, NC 28693	32,863	812	33,675	5,674	39,349	0	15,517	0	5,535	3,179	7,487	31,718
WELCOME HOME	Mrs. Helen Williams, Rt. 3 Box 35, Jefferson, NC 28640	16,974	7,804	24,778	0	24,778	0	13,870	0	0	525	5,100	19,495
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	Mrs. Jennifer Oollar, PO 8ox 173, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	114,208	24,230	138,438	1,260	139,698	8,000	50,023	0	22,840	2,668	46,770	122,301
	TOTALS	**1,149,160**	**278,180**	**1,442,176**	**17,922**	**1,438,202**	**216,788**	**512,619**	**414,881**	**95,674**	**49,101**	**331,213**	**1,365,765**

TABLE H MISSION EXPENDITURES

ASSOCIATIONAL CLERK
MRS. FRED (JEANNIE) MCNEILL
RT. 1 BOX 87
CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	CHURCH CLERKS & ADDRESSES	Money paid out on new construction during the year	All other church sponsored mission expenditures	Total church sponsored mission expenditures	Cooperative Program	Associational missions program	State missions	SB Home Missions (incl. Annie Armstrong Easter offering)	SB Foreign Missions (incl. Lottie Moon Christmas Offering)	SB Christian education (schools, etc.)	SB Children's homes (cash plus goods)	SB Hospitals	SB Homes for the aged	All other (Bible Society, Temperance League, etc.)	Total other mission cause expenditures	Grand Total Mission expenditures
APPLE GROVE	Flossie Taylor, Rt. 1 Box 226, Lansing, NC 28643	0	50	50	26	0	20	20	20	0	0	0	0	0	80	130
BALD MOUNTAIN	Mrs. Mary Hopkins, Rt. 1 Box 679, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	2,327	1,965	0	435	438	0	0	0	0	800	3,638	5,965
BAPTIST HOME	(No Report Received)															
BEAVER CREEK	Dennis Watson, Rt. 1 Box 120, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	123	0	360	0	360	87	930	930
BETHEL	Mrs. E. A. Phillips, Rt. 2 Box 155, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	115	439	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	439	0
BIG FLATTS	Mrs. Anita Elliott, Rt. 1 Box 15A, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	0	283	293	300	806	0	0	0	0	2,552	4,234	4,234
BIG LAUREL	Johnie Roten, Rt. 2 Box 276, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	150	360	0	25	25	0	89	0	0	0	499	649
BLUE RIDGE	Mrs. Louise Hepler, Rt. 2 Box 308, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	600	0	100	0	250	0	0	0	950	950
BRISTOL	Mrs. Logene Blevins, 1008 N. Main St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	1,494	1,415	0	200	200	0	0	0	0	1,815	3,309	3,309
BUFFALO	Paula Perry, Rt. 1 Box 576, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	150	201	0	350	550	0	150	0	0	0	1,401	1,401
CALVARY	Philip Clark, Rt. 2 Box 760, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	0	0	60	143	143	0	0	0	0	60	406	406
CLIFTON	Miss Carol Jones, Rt. 2 Box 32, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	519	519	125	250	250	0	0	0	0	464	1,608	2,088
FARMER MEMORIAL	(No Report Received)															
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	Mrs. Mary Blackburn, 107 Wiley St., Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	10,688	8,016	0	3,737	4,356	0	0	0	0	6,484	22,593	33,281
FRIENDLY GROVE	Mrs. Rayborne Harless, Rt. 3 Box 247, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	2,640	2,940	2,640	2,162	4,441	450	700	350	350	807	14,542	14,542
FRIENDSHIP	Fred Walters, Rt. 1 Box 36, Jefferson, NC 28640	0	0	0	3,536	2,526	2,130	1,621	1,813	0	0	0	0	240	8,331	11,867
GLENDALE SPRINGS	Lisa Harless, Rt. 2 Box 464, W. Jefferson,NC 28694	0	0	0	00	180	90	462	82	0	100	0	100	1,627	2,641	2,641
GRASSY CREEK	Lisa Hart, Rt. 1 Box 37A, Mouth of Wilson, VA 24363	0	0	0	1,450	780	0	200	275	0	0	0	0	900	2,155	3,605

HEALING SPRINGS	Mrs. Nancy Phipps, Rt. 1 Box 385, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	1,459	1,022	867	200	176	0	95	47	47	1,615	4,069	5,528
LANDMARK	Mrs. Celia G. Wright, Rt. 1 Box 149, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	1,000	450	0	925	1,050	0	200	0	0	0	2,625	3,625
LAUREL KNOB	Mrs. Joann Goodman, Rt. 1 Box 288, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	375	563	0	0	375	0	178	89	89	765	2,059	2,434
LIBERTY GROVE	J.C. Trivette, Rt. 1 Box 88, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	1,200	1,100	0	3,520	2,600	0	0	0	0	0	7,220	8,420
LITTLE HELTON	Mrs. Kay Testerman, Rt. 1 Box 253, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	80	200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	280
MIDWAY	Don M. Goodman, Rt. 2 Box 18, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	7,438	5,015	500	1,182	3,143	0	0	0	0	536	10,376	17,814
MISSION HOME	Mrs. Genevieve Grogan, Rt. 1 Box 155, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	1,217	1,000	0	520	655	0	0	0	0	150	2,425	3,642
MOUNT OLIVE	Mrs. JoAnn Hardin, Rt. 1 Box 87, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	575	575	250	90	90	0	0	0	0	0	1,095	1,670
NEW RIVER	Mrs. Jaylene Warden, Rt. 1 Box 338, Piney Creek,NC 28663	0	0	0	2,159	1,586	370	846	2,830	0	139	105	105	793	6,774	8,933
NORTH BEAVER	Mrs. Geraldine Hartzog, Rt. 2 Box 190, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	439	910	150	150	266	0	0	0	0	0	1,476	1,915
OAK HILL	Junior Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 6, Lansing,NC 28643	0	0	0	0	120	0	0	749	0	240	0	0	1,798	2,907	2,907
OBIDS	Mrs. Mary Graybeal, Rt. 1 Box 343, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	210	75	0	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	125	335
OLD FIELDS	Mrs. Phyllis Yates, Box 137, Deep Gap, NC 28618	0	0	0	2,000	1,450	850	1,258	1,722	0	0	10	0	0	5,280	7,280
ORION	Mrs. Nancy Woodie, Rt. 3 Box 740, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	2,341	1,561	106	682	1,242	0	0	0	0	0	3,591	5,932
PEAK VALLEY	Mrs. Weldon Shepherd, Rt. 1 Box 289, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	100	100	0	0	50	0	60	0	0	0	210	310
PHOENIX	Mrs. Mary Jane Ashley, Rt. 1 Box 53, Warrensville, NC 28693	0	0	0	900	1,000	105	110	627	15	90	45	45	0	2,037	2,937
PILOT MOUNTAIN	John Moulds, Rt. 1 Box 788, Boone, NC 28607	0	0	0	0	389	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	389
PINE SWAMP	Mrs. Shelba Elliott, Rt. 2 Box 290, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	170	150	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	320
PLEASANT HOME	Mrs. Sharon Parsons, Rt. 1 Box 306, Grassy Creek, NC 28631	0	0	0	1,159	858	128	346	500	0	0	0	0	0	1,832	2,991
PLEASANT VALLEY	Mrs. Brenda Waddell, Rt. 1 Box 2998, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0						0	0	0	0	0		
PROSPERITY	(No Report Received)															
ROUND KNOB	Mrs. Martha Cox, Rt. 2 Box 167, Fleetwood, NC 28626	0	0	0	462	462	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	462	924
SABBATH HOME	(No Report Received)															
STURGILLS	Edward Sturgill, Rt. 2 Box 341, Lansing, NC 28643	0	975	975	0	500	0	450	0	0	0	0	0	0	950	1,925
THREE FORKS	Carroll Roten Rt. 2 Box 71, Creston, NC 28615	0	0	0	400	455	0	0	100	0	92	0	0	1,150	1,797	2,197
TRINITY	Mrs. Jesse Baldwin, Rt. 1 Box 138, Todd, NC 28684	0	0	0	6,436	2,340	108	515	1,500	0	0	133	0	52	4,648	11,084
TUCKERDALE	Mrs. Jeanette Davis, Rt. 1 Box 317A, Lansing, NC 28643	0	0	0	500	600	0	1,046	500	0	500	500	0	800	3,946	4,446
WAGONER	Mrs. Elsie Poe, Rt. 1 Box 105, Laurel Springs, NC 28644	0	0	0	0	300	200	50	69	0	40	0	0	0	659	659
WARRENSVILLE	Mrs. Geraldine Reed, Rt. 3 Box 119, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	1,085	300	130	256	556	0	0	0	0	100	1,342	2,427
WELCOME HOME	Mrs. Deanna Sabastian, Rt. 1 Box 253, Crumpler, NC 28617	0	0	0	2,478	600	0	0	200	0	50	0	0	0	850	3,328
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	Mrs. Theresa Curd, Rt. 2 Box 410, W. Jefferson, NC 28694	0	0	0	13,535	2,100	770	2,190	5,100	425	163	82	81	2,162	13,073	26,611
	TOTALS	**0**	**1,025**	**1,025**	**70,816**	**45,405**	**10,492**	**24,241**	**37,724**	**890**	**3,496**	**1,386**	**1,200**	**25,557**	**149,934**	**217,261**

TABLE I SPECIAL INFORMATION

ASSOCIATIONAL MODERATOR

REV. DAVID BLACKBURN
RT. 1 BOX 597
CRUMPLER, NC 28617

CHURCHES	No. members received from non Baptist Churches	No. members lost to non-Baptist Churches	Number of tithers	Cooperative Program goal as percent of undesignated receipts	Associational missions goal as percent of undesignated receipts	Value of pastor's home	Value of church property	Total church debt at end of the associational year	N=none G=GG F=Forward Program T=Tithers Commitment O=Other	Budget Y/N	No. church-type missions started during the year	No. church-type missions currently operating	No. church-type missions (not primary sponsor)	No. New Sunday School Members	($) Lottie Moon offering	($) Annie Armstrong offering	Number of handicapped in Special Education Dept.	N=none TV=TV R=radio B=both	No. in Sunday School but not church member	College students baptized	Sunday morning worship attendance	Sunday evening worship attendance	Does church have, observe, plan, use, etc.? Weekly Workers Meeting	Library	Family Ministry	Auto Data Processing	BMT prayer activities	Baptist Men's Day	History Committee	Cont. Education	Special Ministries	Here's Hope Revivals	State paper in budget
APPLE GROVE	0	0	27			0				N	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	N	3	0	32	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BALO MOUNTAIN	0	1	24	6	6	0	400,000	150,000	0	Y	0	0	0	12	438	435	0	N	5	0	78	36	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N
BAPTIST HOME																																	
BEAVER CREEK	0	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	0	0	0	0	123	0	0	N	0	0	20	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BETHEL	2	0	0	0	0	0	60,000	0	0	N	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BIG FLATTS	0	0	21	0	0	0	285,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	1	806	300	0	N	3	0	47	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
BIG LAUREL	0	0	2	5	0	0	45,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	0	25	25	0	N	1	0	9	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BLUE RIDGE	0	0	0	0	0	0	75,000	0	0	N	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	N	0	0	21	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
BRISTOL	0	1	40	4	4	0	123,000	0	F	Y	0	0	0	4	200	200	0	N	0	0			N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
BUFFALO	0	0	0	0	0	0		0		Y	0	0	0	0				N	20	0	80	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
CALVARY	0	0	10	0	5	0	100,000	1,500	N	N	0	0	2	3	143	143	0	N	4	0	30	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	N
CLIFTON	0	0	12	3	3	0	60,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	0	250	250	0	N	4	0	55	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
FARMER MEMORIAL																																	
FLETCHER MEMORIAL	0	0		8	6	155,000	700,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	5	4,356	3,737	0	R	15	0	187	56	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	
FRIENDLY GROVE	1	1	25	4	4	67,500	667,500	0	0	Y	0	0	0	9	3,609	2,162	0	N	3	0	150	41	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
FRIENDSHIP	0	0	24	7	5	0	582,250	0		Y	0	0	0	4	1,813	1,621	0	N	6	0	135	44	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
GLENOALE SPRINGS	0	0	21	0	5	0	124,000		F	Y	0	0	0	5	82	0	0	N	9	0	84	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
GRASSY CREEK	3	0	11	6	0	0	155,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	7	275	200	0	N	4	0	42	11	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	N	N

HEALING SPRINGS	1	0	10	5	4	0	130,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	7	176	200	0	N	0	0	77	20	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
LANDMARK	0	1	9	8.5	1.5	0	175,000	558	N	Y	0	0	0	9	1,050	400	0	N	7	0	97	20	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
LAUREL KNOB			13	4	3	0	90,800	0	N	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		3	0	50	20	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
LIBERTY GROVE	2	0	8	4.6	4.6	0	222,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	15	2,600	810	0	N	0	0	88	36	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N
LITTLE HELTON	0	0	0			0	19,600	0	0	Y	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	N	0	0	33	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
MIDWAY	0	0	35	11	7	70,000	500,000	9,000	N	Y	0	0	0	6	3,143	1,182	0	N	3	0	120	35	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y
MISSION HOME	0	0	40	4	3	0	130,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	2	655	520	0	N	0	0	80	0	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
MOUNT OLIVE	0	0	8	10	10	0	80,000	7,750	F	Y	0	0	0	0	90	90	0	N	4	0	35	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
NEW RIVER	0	0	35	5	11	0	100,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	12	1,368	846	0	N	13	0	98	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
NORTH BEAVER	0	0	10	3	5	0	100,000	21,566	N	Y	0	0	0	5	266	150	0	N	0	0	50	0	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	N
OAK HILL	0	0	0	0	0	0	90,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	6	749	0	0	N	5	0	37	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
OBIOS	0	0	0	0	0	0	75,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	N	2	0	45	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
OLD FIELDS	0	0	18	7	5	0	175,000	0	N	Y	0	0	0	1	1,722	1,258	0	N	1	0	52	30	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	N
ORION	0	0	5	6	4	0	300,000	25,750	N	Y	0	0	0	4	1,242	682	0	N	2	0	83	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y
PEAK VALLEY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	N	0	0	0	0	50	0	0	N	0	0	14	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PHOENIX	0	0	30	3	3	0	200,000	0	0	Y	0	0	0	3	627	110	0	N	1	0	58	0	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y
PILOT MOUNTAIN	0	0	35			0		0	N					0	0	0	0	N	7				N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PINE SWAMP	0	0	0	0	0	0	80,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	N	5	0	0	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
PLEASANT HOME	0	0	13	6	4	0	80,000	971	0	Y	0	0	0	5	500	346	0	N	0	0	62	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N
PLEASANT VALLEY	0	0	15			0	20,000	0	0	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	30	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N
PROSPERITY																																		
ROUND KNOB	0	0		5	5	0	45,000	0	0	Y	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	N	0	0	28	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N	N
SABBATH HOME																																		
STURGILLS	0	0	0	0	0	0	35,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	N	18	0	57	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
THREE FORKS	0	0	8	4	4	0	85,000	0	N	N	0	0	0	2	100	0	0	N	1	0	35	0	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
TRINITY	1	0	34	11	4	0	400,000	4,700	G	Y	0	0	0	0	1,500	515	0	N	0	0	130	60	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y
TUCKEROALE	0	0	10	2.5	3	0	125,000	0	0	Y	0	0	0	3	500	600	0	N	4	0	82	51	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
WAGONER	0	0	5	0	0	150,000	0	0	N	N	0	0	0	5	69	50	0	0	5	0	65	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	N
WARRENSVILLE	0	0	30			75,000	410,000	1,000	T	Y	0	0	0	4	556	256	5	9	5	0	65	0	N	N	N	N	N	Y	N	N	N	N	N
WELCOME HOME	2	1	2	7.5	2.5	0	161,700	0	N	Y	0	0	0	0	200	0	0	N	2	0	120	25	N	N	N	N	N	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	N
W. JEFFERSON FIRST	0	1	12	9	3	85,000	500,000	25,159	N	Y	0	0	0	14	5,100	2,190	0	R	6	0	140	40	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y
TOTALS	**12**	**6**	**645**			**602,500**	**7,705,850**	**247,954**			**0**	**0**	**2**	**175**	**34,483**	**19,278**	**5**		**171**	**0**	**2,801**	**525**													

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